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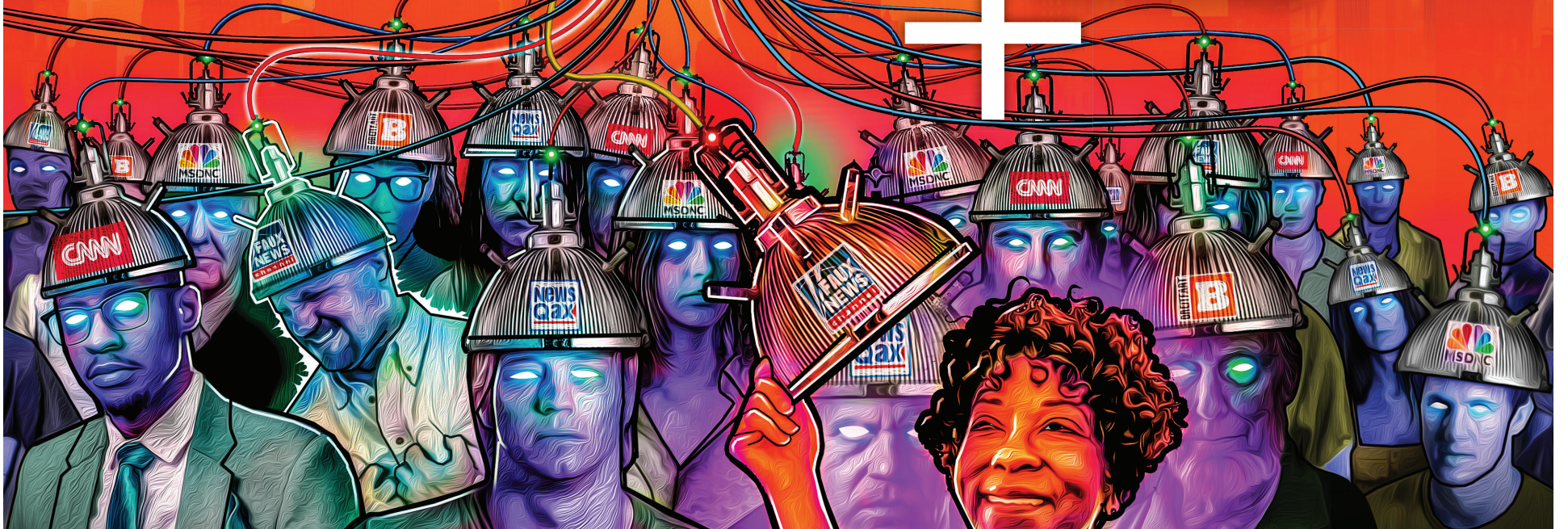
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Humboldt County Sheriff William Honsal addresses reporters at a press conference in Rio Dell regarding the magnitude 6.4 earthquake that hit Humboldt that afternoon, Dec. 20. Read the full story on page 6.  
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Truth and Healing

Editor:

As congress enters its 118th session in 2023 and we see new pieces of valuable legislation going through, we must remember bills House Resolution 5444 and Senate Bill 2907, which would create the Truth and Healing Commission on American Indian Boarding Schools. This commission would take the next five years to investigate federally funded boarding schools all over the nation, take testimony from survivors and their descendants, investigate the assimilation practices that took place, and create recommendations for the future of reconciliation and healing for the federal government to enact.

The boarding school era has massive implications for Indigenous people today (“Harvard Announces Return of Native Hair Samples,” Dec. 8). Tribal sovereignty is under attack in the pending decision of the Supreme Court case *Holland V. Brackeen*, which seeks to make the Indian Child Welfare Act 1978 unconstitutional. This federal policy makes it so that tribes have decisions over who children are placed with if they must be removed from their home or put up for adoption, and they fight to keep the children within the tribe whenever possible. Native children make up large numbers of children who are in the foster care system nationally. While Native children take up less than 1 percent of the total population of the United States they represent 2 percent of the children in foster care. That is an overrepresentation of double the population. A recently published study showed that the screening, accusations and investigations of American Indian and Alaskan Native children was more than double that of white children in the United States. (Edwards et. al, 2021)

The Boarding School Commission, if centered on Indigenous voices and made apparent in media and education systems here in the United States, would let professionals know why ICWA is important and needed to offset some of the historical injustices faced by a community that has had their children stripped away. The Indian Child Welfare Act is one of the many important federal laws that protect indigenous sovereignty, and if overturned, it sends a message to tribal nations in the United States that sovereignty is under threat for everything, not just the most

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Terry Torgerson

precious asset we all have, which is our children, our future. We need more legislation uplifting the healing measures in our communities, not taking them away.

I want to thank my members of Congress, Sen. Dianne Feinstein, Sen. Alex Padilla and Rep. Jared Huffman for cosponsoring this bill. I ask that they further support this legislation in the next session.

Anne Rants, *Somes Bar*

'My Only Question'

Editor:

I am Jewish although I don't practice. I was impressed with the editorial and/or apology that was written about the Reichnitz cartoon ("Accountable," Dec. 8). But the truth is far more complicated.

When I first heard about the abuses in his facilities — about two years ago — I was horrified, not just by the abuses but by the fact that an Orthodox Jew would fit himself in so neatly into the hundreds of years of false accusations made about Jews. Filling the stereotype, and apparently without either remorse or insight. In a sense, he was asking for that cartoon to be written.

Let's face it. Most people, regardless of what ethnicity they are born into, are good at heart, but a few are not. Those outliers are singled out by members of other ethnicities as examples of what is "wrong" with the hated group. I'm sure I don't need to point out any specific examples — the headlines are full of them — and my only question is: Would that cartoon have appeared had Reichnitz been a member of some other minority?

Anyway, we live and learn from our mistakes.

Elaine Weinreb, *Westhaven*

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# 6.4 Earthquake Rattles Humboldt

Rio Dell hit hardest by quake that left much of county in darkness

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**H**umboldt County was jolted awake at 2:34 a.m. on Dec. 20 by a magnitude-6.4 earthquake that knocked out power throughout much of the county, with shaking felt as far as Redding to the east and the Bay Area to the south, with the Eel River Valley bearing the brunt of the damage.

“The city of Rio Dell is the city that has been hit the hardest,” said Sheriff William Honsal during a news conference later in the day at Rio Dell City Hall. “That’s why we’re here. This is Ground Zero.”

Countywide, more than 70,000 PG&E customers were left without power, with a dozen injuries reported and two medical emergency deaths attributed to the quake’s aftermath.

“Our hearts and prayers go out to their families,” Honsal said, noting the deaths were of 72- and 83-year-old residents who

were unable to receive immediate treatment for medical emergencies sustained during or immediately after the quake.

While fierce shaking was reported throughout the county, significant damage was relatively limited. Fernbridge, the century-old “Queen of Bridges” that spans the Eel River, connecting Ferndale to U.S. Highway 101, was badly damaged in the quake, while minor damage was reported to buildings throughout the Eel River Valley. But a significant portion of the damage appears to have been centered in Rio Dell.

City Manager Kyle Knopp reported that as of the afternoon of Dec. 20, 15 homes had been red tagged, meaning they are un-

safe for occupancy, while another 18 had been yellow tagged, flagging major non-life threatening conditions. About half the city’s homes remained to be inspected.

Rio Dell Volunteer Fire Chief Shane Wilson said his crew leapt into action immediately.

“We were, well, not really dispatched. We basically woke up and just assembled at the fire station,” Wilson said, adding that many crew members assisted their immediate neighbors before reaching the station. Once there, he said they needed

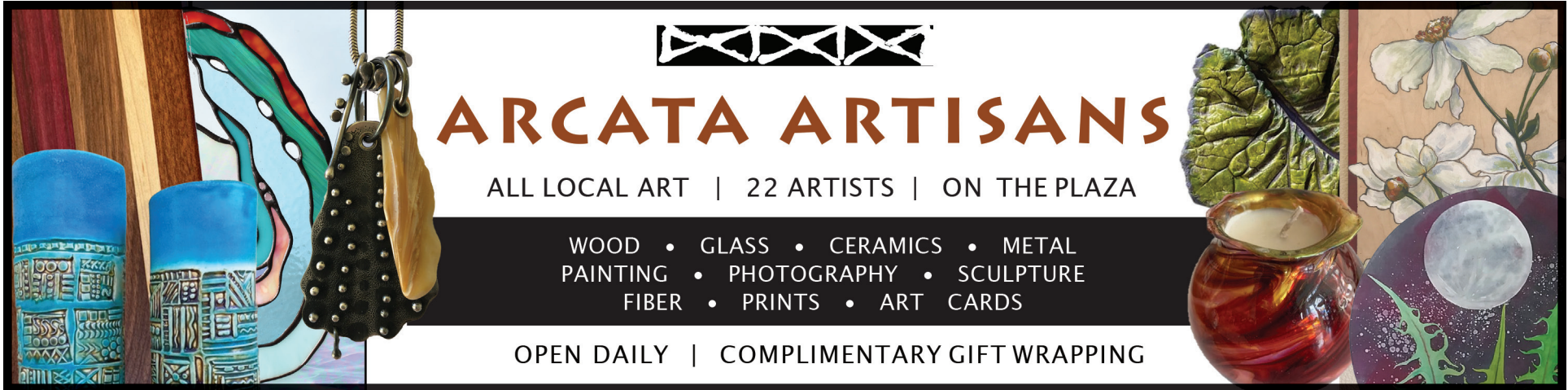
to pry the station’s garage doors open to free its three fire engines to respond to calls, adding that there were 40 to 50 calls within the first half hour.


CalFire, Wilson said, dispatched crews to help respond to the calls, which included two fires — one structure and one debris — that needed to be put out.

Honsal said there were numerous reports of “entrapments” in the small city immediately following the quake.

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trapped in their homes and had to be rescued," he said.

Knopp said the temblor badly damaged the city's water infrastructure as well.

"If you turn on your tap, no water will come out; your toilets won't flush," he said, adding that while the city was working to repair damage and get the system up and running again, bottled water was being distributed at the fire station and portable toilets had been set up throughout town.

Food for People also quickly mobilized throughout the day on Dec. 20, and by 1:30 p.m., was distributing prepared meals to residents in need in Rio Dell and parts of Fortuna, where water infrastructure issues necessitated a boil warning.

Knopp said most residents displaced in Rio Dell have been able to find shelter with family or friends, and the city was working with those who weren't able to find places to stay.

The quake struck at 2:34 a.m. — exactly a year after a magnitude 6.2 quake shook Ferndale and neighboring Eel River Valley communities. Cynthia Pridmore, an engineering geologist with the state's Seismic Hazard Program, said the temblor struck about 2 miles offshore and 15 miles

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southwest of Ferndale on a strike-slip fault along the Gorda Plate. No tsunami warning was generated.

The quake was followed by more than 50 aftershocks throughout the day, including numerous magnitude 4.0 or larger. Honsal urged residents to remain vigilant.

“Be prepared,” he said. “There will be aftershocks; there have been 70-plus since the initial jolt. Prepare for that 5.0-plus aftershock, which is definitely likely. I don’t think we are out of the woods yet.”

Throughout much of the county, after spending the morning shaken, residents cleaned up minor damage in their homes — items that had fallen off shelves and walls — before preparing to be without power indefinitely. At grocery stores that were open and operating on generator power, lines stretched down the aisles

as shoppers stocked up on ice and other essentials, while gas stations that remained open saw lines stretch several blocks as people looked to fill up their tanks and generators.

As the *Journal* this story went to press shortly after 6 p.m. on Dec. 20, PG&E had restored power to much of the county, though an unknown number — most in the Eel River Valley — were still without service. The company estimated power would be restored to most within 24 hours of when the earth started shaking but offered no guarantees, saying actual restoration times would be dependent on damage assessments and the company would update residents every four to six hours on its efforts.

Local schools not already on winter break were closed Dec. 20, due to the lack



Rio Dell Police Chief Greg Allen talks during a press conference about the strain the magnitude 6.4 earthquake put on emergency responders.



Kyle Chittenden helps stack wood from a collapsed balcony at a home on Wildwood Avenue in Rio Dell.





State Route 211 was closed at Fernbridge due to structural damage detected in the wake of the magnitude 6.4 earthquake that struck at 2:34 a.m. on Dec. 20.

of power and concerns about road damage. As the *Journal* went to press, it was unclear when they planned to re-open.

Local officials, meanwhile, were working to assess the damage and bring state resources to the table. The city of Rio Dell declared a state of emergency in the afternoon, while Honsal declared a countywide emergency. Most local cities, meanwhile, set up charging stations for residents to power their devices and phone lines to report damage.

North Coast state Sen. Mike McGuire announced late in the afternoon that the state had pledged \$6 million in emergency funds to immediately kick off emergency repairs to Fernbridge, which, in addition to being added to the National Register of Historic Places in 1987 and holding the distinction of being the longest operational poured concrete bridge in the world, is the main artery connecting Ferndale to the outside world.

“A contractor is already in place and work will begin today!” McGuire announced on his social media account.

While damage was significant and the full toll of the quake not yet known, Honsal said he had feared the county would be much worse off, given the ferocity and duration of the shaking that awoke most of its residents.

“I think we dodged a bullet,” he said.

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Members of the Rio Dell Volunteer Fire Department handed out water to community members after the city water supply was disrupted by a 6.4 earthquake that struck Northern California early Tuesday morning.

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# The Billionaire's Press Dominates *Censorship Beat*

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Since its founding in 1976, Project Censored has been focused on stories — like Watergate before the 1972 election — that aren't censored in the authoritarian government sense, but in a broader, expanded sense. Reflective of what a functioning democracy should be, censorship is defined as “the suppression of information, whether purposeful or not, by any method — including bias, omission, underreporting, or self-censorship — that prevents the public from fully knowing what is happening in society.” It is, after all, the reason that journalism enjoys special protection in the First Amendment: Without the free flow of vital information, government based on the consent of the governed is but an illusory dream.

Yet, from the very beginning, as A.J. Liebling put it, “Freedom of the press is guaranteed only to those who own one.”

In their introduction to Project Censored's annual *State of the Free Press*, which contains its top censored stories and much more, Project Censored's Mickey Huff and Andy Lee Roth take this condition head-on,

under the heading, *State of the Free Billionaire*, in contrast to the volume's title, *State of the Free Press 2023*. Following a swift recap of historic media criticism highlights — Upton Sinclair, the aforementioned Liebling, Ben Bagdikian, Edward Herman and Noam Chomsky — they dryly observe, “History shows that consolidated media, controlled by a handful of elite owners, seldom serves the public interest,” and briefly survey the contemporary landscape before narrowing their gaze to the broadest of influencers:

“Despite the promise of boundless access to information, Silicon Valley mirrors legacy media in its consolidated ownership and privileging of elite narratives. This new class of billionaire oligarchs owns or controls the most popular media platforms, including the companies often referred to as the FAANGs — Facebook (Meta), Apple, Amazon, Netflix, and Google (Alphabet).”

Obviously, this was written before Elon Musk's purchase of Twitter, but it's an apt reminder that his wildly out-of-touch worldview is not just an individual, personal aberration, but also a symptom of wider systemic dysfunction.

“In pursuit of their own interests and investments, media tycoons past and present, again and again, appear to be conveniently oblivious to the main frame through which they filter news — that of class, including class structure and class interests,” Huff and Roth write. “Consequently, they often overlook (or ignore) conflicts of interest that implicate media owners, funders, investors, and advertisers, not to mention their business clients on Wall Street and in Big Pharma, Big Tech, and the military-industrial complex.”

This observation perfectly frames the majority of stories in Project Censored's top 10 list, starting with the first two stories: massive subsidies of the fossil fuel industry and rampant wage theft — concentrated on the most vulnerable workers — that eclipse street crime in the magnitude of losses, but is rarely punished, even when offenders are caught dead to rights. It echoes clearly through the stories on congress members' investments in the fossil fuel industry, the role of corporate consolidation in driving up inflation in food prices, Bill Gates' hidden influence on jour-

nalism, and major media outlets lobbying against regulation of surreptitious online advertising, and only at slight remove in two others having to do with dark money, and one about the suppression of Environmental Protection Agency reports on dangerous chemicals. Indeed, only one story out of 10 is somewhat removed from the sphere of corporate corruption concerns: the story of the CIA's plans to kidnap or kill Julian Assange.

Every year, I note that there are multiple patterns to be found in the list of Project Censored's stories, and that these different patterns have much to tell us about the forces shaping what remains hidden. That's still true, with three environmental stories (two involving fossil fuels), three involving money in politics (two dark money stories), and two involving illicit surveillance. But the dominance of this one pattern truly is remarkable. It shows how profoundly the concentration of corporate wealth and power in the hands of so few distorts everything we see — or don't — in the world around us every day. Here then, is this year's list of Project Censored's top 10 censored stories:





## Fossil Fuel Industry Subsidized at Rate of \$11 Million per Minute

Globally, the fossil fuel industry receives subsidies of \$11 million per minute, primarily from lack of liability for the externalized health costs of deadly air pollution (42 percent), damages caused by extreme weather events (29 percent) and costs from traffic collisions and congestion (15 percent). And two-thirds of those subsidies come from just five countries — the United States, Russia, India, China and Japan. These are key findings from a study of 191 nations published by the International Monetary Fund, or IMF in September of 2021, that were reported in the *Guardian* and *Treehugger* the following month, but have been ignored in the corporate media.

No national government currently prices fossil fuels at what the IMF calls their “efficient price” — covering both their supply and environmental costs. “Instead, an estimated 99 percent of coal, 52 percent of road diesel, 47 percent of natural gas and 18 percent of gasoline are priced at less than half their efficient price,” Project Censored noted.

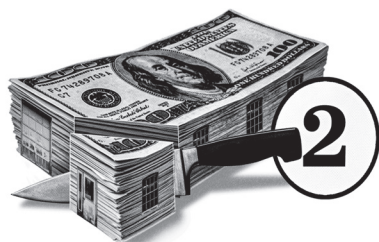
“Efficient fuel pricing in 2025 would reduce global carbon dioxide emissions 36 percent below baseline levels, which is in line with keeping global warming to 1.5 degrees, while raising revenues worth 3.8 percent of global GDP and preventing 0.9 million local air pollution deaths,” the report stated. The G7 nations had previously agreed to scrap fossil fuel subsidies by 2025, but the IMF found that subsidies have increased in recent years, and will continue increasing.

“It’s critical that governments stop propping up an industry that is in decline,” Mike Coffin, a senior analyst at Carbon Tracker, told the *Guardian*. “The much-needed change could start happening now, if not for the government’s entanglement with the fossil fuels industry in so many major economies,” added Maria Pastukhova of E3G, a climate change think tank.

“Eliminating fossil fuel subsidies could lead to higher energy prices and, ultimately, political protests and social unrest,” Project Censored noted. “But, as the *Guardian* and *Treehugger* each reported, the IMF recom-

mended a ‘comprehensive strategy’ to protect consumers — especially low-income households — impacted by rising energy costs and workers in displaced industries.”

No corporate news outlets had reported on the IMF as of May of 2022, according to Project Censored, though a November 2021 opinion piece did focus on the issue of subsidies, which John Kerry, U.S. special envoy for climate change, called “a definition of insanity.” But that was framed as opinion, and made no mention of the indirect subsidies, which represent 86 percent of the total. In contrast, “In January 2022, CNN published an article that all but defended fossil fuel subsidies,” Project Censored noted. “CNN’s coverage emphasized the potential for unrest caused by rollbacks of government subsidies, citing ‘protests that occasionally turned violent.’”



## Wage Theft: U.S. Businesses Suffer Few Consequences for Stealing Millions from Workers Every Year

In 2017, the FBI reported the cost of street crime at about \$13.8 billion. That same year, the Economic Policy Institute released a study saying that just one form of wage theft — minimum wage violations — costs U.S. workers even more: an estimated \$15 billion annually, impacting an estimated 17 percent of low-wage workers.

One reason it’s so rampant is that companies are seldom punished, as Alexia Fernández Campbell and Joe Yardi reported for the Center for Public Integrity in May of 2021, drawing on 15 years of data from the U.S. Department of Labor’s Wage and Hour Division. “The agency fined only about one in four repeat offenders during that period. And it ordered those companies to pay workers cash damages — penalty money in addition to back wages — in just 14 percent of those cases,” they wrote. In addition, “The division often lets businesses avoid repaying their employees all the money they’re owed. In all, the agency has let more than 16,000 employers get away with not paying \$20.3 million in back wages since 2005.”

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We're talking about some major companies: Halliburton, G4S Wackenhut and Circle K Stores were among "the worst offenders," they reported.

That report kicked off the center's "Cheated at Work" series, which showed that "U.S. employers that illegally underpaid workers face few repercussions, even when they do so repeatedly. This widespread practice perpetuates income inequality, hitting lowest-paid workers hardest."

"Wage theft includes a range of illegal practices, such as paying less than minimum wage, withholding tips, not paying overtime, or requiring workers to work through breaks or off the clock. It impacts service workers, low-income workers, immigrant and guest workers, and communities of color the most," Project Censored explained.

Wage theft also includes worker misclassification as independent contractors — long the case with port truckers, and more recently gig workers. A 2014 study from the National Employment Law Center estimated that "California's port trucking companies are liable to drivers for violations of wage and hour laws for \$65 to \$83 million each month, or \$787 to \$998 million each year."

Lack of resources is largely to blame for the lax enforcement, Project Censored explained: "As of February 2021, the Wage and Hour Division employed only 787 investigators, a proportion of just one investigator per 182,000 workers covered by the Fair Labor Standards Act, Campbell and Yerardi noted. For comparison, in 1948 the division employed one investigator per 22,600 workers, or eight times the current proportion."

Lax enforcement is "especially problematic" in some 14 states that "lack the capacity to investigate wage theft claims or lack the ability to file lawsuits on behalf of victims," according to a 2017 Economic Policy Institute report. In contrast, the center's report "mentioned local successes in Chicago (2013), Philadelphia (2016) and Minneapolis (2019)," Project Censored noted, but "workers' rights advocates continue to seek federal reforms."

"Since May 2021, a handful of corporate news outlets, including CBS News, covered or republished the Center for Public Integrity's report on wage theft," Project Censored noted, but "Corporate coverage tends to focus on specific instances involving individual employers," while ignoring it "as a systemic social problem" as well as ignoring the "anemic federal enforcement."

That could change, if Congress were to pass the Wage Theft Prevention and Wage Recovery Act of 2022, which "would amend the Fair Labor Standards Act to protect workers from wage theft, according to Ariana Figueroa of the Virginia Mercury," Project Censored noted, concluding with a

quote from Minnesota Congressperson Ilhan Omar: "It is clear more DOL [Department of Labor] funding and additional federal reforms are needed in our localities in order to protect our most vulnerable workers."



## EPA Withheld Reports on Dangerous Chemicals

In January of 2019, the Environmental Protection Agency, or EPA stopped releasing legally required disclosures about chemicals that present a "substantial risk of injury to health or the environment." They had previously been posted in a searchable public database called ChemView.

In November of 2021, as part of *the Intercept's* "EPA Exposed" investigative series, Sharon Lerner reported that EPA had received "at least 1,240 substantial risk reports since January 2019, but only one was publicly available. The suppressed reports documented "the risk of chemicals' serious harms, including eye corrosion, damage to the brain and nervous system, chronic toxicity to honeybees, and cancer in both people and animals," Lerner wrote.

"The reports include notifications about highly toxic polyfluoroalkyl substances, or PFAS, chemical compounds that are known as "forever chemicals" because they build up in our bodies and never break down in the environment," Project Censored noted. "The Environmental Working Group explains that 'very small doses of PFAS have been linked to cancer, reproductive and immune system harm, and other diseases. For decades, chemical companies covered up evidence of PFAS' health hazards.'" Their spread throughout the world's oceans, along with microplastics, was Project Censored No. 5 story last year.

It wasn't just the public that was kept in the dark, Lerner reported. "The substantial risk reports have not been uploaded to the databases used most often by risk assessors searching for information about chemicals, according [to] one of the EPA scientists... They have been entered only into an internal database that is difficult to access and search. As a result, little — and perhaps none — of the information about these

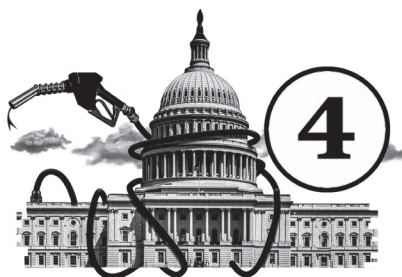


serious risks to health and the environment has been incorporated into the chemical assessments completed during this period.”

“Basically, they are just going into a black hole,” one whistleblower told Lerner. “We don’t look at them. We don’t evaluate them. And we don’t check to see if they change our understanding of the chemical.”

Apart from *the Intercept*, “only a handful of niche publications have reported on the matter,” Project Censored noted.

However, in January of 2022 Public Employees for Environmental Responsibility (PEER) filed a lawsuit to compel EPA to disclose the reports, following up on an earlier public records request which, the *National Law Review* reported, was “built upon information reported in a November 2021 article in *The Intercept*.” Just weeks later EPA announced it would resume posting the reports in ChemView, Project Censored noted. “Clearly, independent journalism contributed significantly to this outcome,” they said. “Had it not been for the work of investigative journalist Sharon Lerner at *the Intercept*, EPA whistleblowers would not have had a platform to share concerns that ultimately led the agency to resume these critical public disclosures.”



## At Least 128 Members of Congress Invested in Fossil Fuel Industry

At least 100 U.S. representatives and 28 U.S. senators have financial interests in the fossil fuel industry — a major impediment to reaching climate change goals that’s gone virtually unmentioned by the corporate media, despite detailed reporting in a series of Sludge articles written by David Moore in November and December of 2021.

Moore found that 74 Republicans, 59 Democrats, and one independent have fossil fuel industry investments, with Republicans outnumbering Democrats in both chambers. The top 10 House investors are all Republicans. But it’s quite different in the Senate, where two of the top three investors are Democrats, and Democrats’ total investments — \$8.6 million — are more than double the Senate Republicans’ total of \$4 million. Topping the list is Joe

Manchin (West Virginia), with up to \$5.5 million of fossil fuel industry assets, while John Hickenlooper (Colorado) is third, with up to \$1 million. (Most reporting is in ranges.) Many top investors are Texas Republicans, including Rep. Van Taylor, with up to \$12.4 million worth of investments.

“Most significantly, many hold key seats on influential energy-related committees,” Project Censored noted. Senators include Manchin, chair of the Energy and Natural Resources Committee, Tina Smith (D-MN), chair of the Agriculture Subcommittee on Rural Development and Energy, and Tom Carper (D-DE), chair of the Committee on the Environment and Public Works. “Manchin cut the Clean Electricity Performance Program, a system that would phase out coal, from President Biden’s climate bill,” they added.

In the House, they explained, “nine of the 22 Republican members of the Energy and Commerce Committee are invested in the fossil fuel industry. As Project Censored detailed in the No. 4 story on the Top 25 list two years ago, these individuals’ personal financial interests as investors often conflict with their obligation as elected legislators to serve the public interest.”

Oil and gas lobbying totaled \$119.3 million, according to OpenSecrets, while 2020 election spending topped \$40 million for congressional candidates — \$8.7 million to Democrats and \$30.8 million to Republicans. This came as the International Energy Agency warned that no new fossil fuel developments can be approved for the world to have a 50/50 chance to reach net-zero emissions by 2050, Moore reported. And, yet, “production of oil and gas is projected to grow 50 percent by 2030 without congressional action,” Project Censored noted. “The fact that so many lawmakers have invested considerable sums in the fossil fuel industry makes it extremely unlikely that Congress will do much to rein in oil and gas production.”

As of May 21, 2022, Sludge’s reporting had gotten no corporate coverage, repeating the whiteout of a similar report in 2020. “Corporate news outlets have only reported on the fact that clean energy proposals are stalled in Congress, not the financial conflicts of interest that are the likely cause of this lack of progress,” Project Censored concluded. ●

*Editor’s note: To read the rest of Project Censored’s Top 10, see the full version of this story at [northcoastjournal.com](https://northcoastjournal.com).*

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# Chicano Bakes' Pan Dulce and Disco

With a recipe for glam wedding cookies

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The cover of Esteban Castillo's second cookbook *Chicano Bakes* is like a *panaderia* dessert case set up in Studio 54. A flan that shines like Donna Summer's lip gloss, a square of pink-frosted *cortadillo* cake is cut sharp as Bianca Jagger's suit. It's a departure from the signature style of sunny lighting, bright backgrounds, and sharp shadows that defined *Chicano Eats: Recipes from my Mexican-American kitchen*, both the blog and book ("Playing with Tradition," June 11, 2022). But it's a natural continuation of his mission of sharing the foods he grew up loving, the ones he first learned to make for himself as a Humboldt State University student.

There are recipes for rolls and yeast breads, savory and sweet tamales, cookies and pies, cakes, pies, punches and hot drinks. Narrowing down the recipes for the "Pan Dulce Mexicano" chapter was a daunting task, and Castillo anticipates some readers will be disappointed to see a favorite missing, but a little perspective: Mexico's *Cámara Nacional de la Industria Panificadora* recognizes some 750 varieties of sweet bread. Among the desserts, some hew to tradition, others blend and remix, like the horchata tiramisu and red velvet *chocoflan*. Among Castillo's personal favorites are *fresas con crema*, the red strawberry and gelatin dressed up in a coupe glass. "It's one of the things I had for every single birthday," he says, recalling his childhood in Southern California. "It was that or flan." A laugh bubbles up as he adds, "I don't wanna toot my own horn but I make a really good flan."

Castillo had to push to feature those favorites on the cover instead of the cupcakes his publisher thought might have broader appeal. "I got that dreaded question: 'Is it going to be too niche?'" But as a self-identified queer Chicano who's influenced by both Mexico and the U.S., it was important that the look of the book as a whole spoke to who he is and his aesthetics. "Someone has to be first, someone has

to open the door," he says. The same goes for the mirrors, rainbow colors, shine and prismatic backgrounds in his photographs — all of which he shot — instead of more conventional staging for Mexican cuisine. "I want people to revisit the way they think about things," he says.

Well, that and the disco he was listening to while working on the book — songs like Sylvester's "You Make Me Feel Mighty Real." It was 2020, during the first year of the pandemic. With so many people pandemic baking to find some pleasure in stressful times, working on a collection of the recipes readers were asking Castillo for — *conchas* and other treats from his *Chicano Eats* blog — made sense. He'd also finally come out to his father, with whom he's had a complicated relationship that's in a far better place now. "I felt free," Castillo says. "Super light and liberated. And disco was one of the things that helped me get through the workday in 2022. ... It makes you want to dance; it makes you really happy," and he wanted to bring that energy and joy into the book.

Along with its disco vibes, *Chicano Bakes* is easy to follow. "One of my goals was making sure these recipes are accessible," says Castillo, "not fussy, so that anybody at any skill level can just get in the kitchen and have some fun." Hence his use of all-purpose flour throughout and ingredients that aren't too challenging to get ahold of.

The Mexican wedding cookies, or *besitos de nuez*, shared here from *Chicano Bakes*, are an example of Castillo adding his own touch to tradition but keeping it accessible. He says he swapped pistachios into the classic nutty, powdered cookies but, while the flavor was nice, they were pricey. So he went with equally flavorful pecans, browned butter for extra richness and a touch of hazelnut liqueur. They make a stellar addition to a holiday cookie tray but nothing is stopping you from enjoying their fragrant glamour all year.



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Besitos de nuez, or Mexican wedding cookies, with a brown butter and liqueur twist. Photo by Esteban Castillo

## Besitos de Nuez (Mexican Wedding Cookies)

Makes 30 cookies

- 1 cup (16 tablespoons/227 g) unsalted butter
- 1 cup (106 g) pecans
- 1 ½ cups (150 g) powdered sugar
- 1 tablespoon hazelnut liqueur or milk
- 1 teaspoon pure vanilla extract
- ½ teaspoon Diamond Crystal kosher salt or fine sea salt
- 1 ⅓ cups (208 g) unbleached all-purpose flour

In a medium stainless steel saucepan or skillet, melt the butter over medium heat and wait for it to start fizzling and foaming, stirring occasionally with a silicone spatula to make sure nothing burns or sticks to the bottom of the pan. As the butter fizzes, the milk solids toast/brown, giving the finished product a hint of toffee flavor. Once the fizzling stops it's time to start checking for doneness. You want the melted liquid to be a golden color and there to be golden brown toasted milk solids on the bottom of the pan. From start to finish this should take about 12 minutes. Place the brown butter in a heatproof measuring cup, making sure to scrape all the flavorful browned bits off the bottom of the pan along with it. You should be left with just over ¾ cup (175 g)

of liquid browned butter. Set this in the refrigerator for about 1 hour or so to firm up to about the consistency of room temperature butter.

Preheat the oven to 350 F (180 C).

Place the pecans on a small baking sheet and toast them in the oven for 7 to 8 minutes, carefully shaking the pan at about the 4-minute mark to make sure they don't burn. Once they're toasted, tip them out onto a large plate to cool for a few minutes, then finely chop them in a food processor or with a knife and set aside. Leave the oven on.

In a stand mixer

fitted with the paddle, beat the brown butter, ½ cup (50 g) of the powdered sugar, the hazelnut liqueur, vanilla, and salt together for a full 2 minutes. The full time is important because all that air whipped into the cookies helps give you the melt-in-your-mouth texture. You should see the mixture go from a tan color to an almost white color and it will have grown in volume, too.

With the mixer on low, add the flour and pecans and mix until the dough comes together. It will look dry and crumbly at first but after mixing for about 30 seconds it should form a cohesive dough.

Line one 13-by-18-inch (33-by-45 cm) baking sheet with parchment paper, then roll out tablespoon-size balls of dough and place all 30 on the baking sheet. These don't spread very much, so you can place them about 1 inch (2.5 cm) apart to bake.

Bake just until the bottoms of the cookies are barely golden brown, 15 to 20 minutes. Let the cookies cool completely on the baking sheet.

Once the cookies are cool, carefully roll them around in the remaining 1 cup (100 g) powdered sugar until fully coated, and serve. Store cookies at room temperature in a sealed container for up to 5 days. •

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# Woodley Island Walkabout

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**M**y wife and I recently drove to Woodley Island for our daily walk with a plan to see the holiday lighting and boats in the marina at sunset. With clear skies and no wind, we enjoyed some exercise while watching the commercial fishing boats, a beautiful sunset over Humboldt Bay and a crab-pot Christmas tree.

I recommend this walk to just about anyone in just about any kind of weather, as you can retrace your steps out and back on the paved, accessible trail however far you wish. We met one senior citizen who said he does out-and-back laps for miles on the short trail every day at sunset while watching the marina activities and the mix of wildlife (lots of black-crowned night herons nearby and seals in the harbor).

You can start at the west end of the island, where there's plenty of parking, near the crab pot Christmas tree and the Table Bluff lighthouse (built in 1892 and moved here in 1987). As you walk east along the bay, you will pass by the Café Marina restaurant, public restrooms and the marina docks. The trail ends at the fenced-in wildlife area, with the Samoa Bridge stretching in the background.

The west end of the trail features great views of Dick Crane's "The Fisherman" statue resting on the edge of the island. Dedicated in 1981 by the Commercial Fishermen's Wives of Humboldt, the statue honors those "whom the sea sustained ... and those it claimed." Turning around, you'll see a four-sided memorial that lists the names of local fishermen lost at sea; a collection of personalized items rests at the base of the memorial.

To the north of the memorial is the Christmas tree of stacked crab pots, with its holiday lighting and decorations. For the past few years before the start of



For the past few years, before the start of every commercial crab season, the Commercial Fishermen's Wives of Humboldt have erected a lighted "tree" of dozens of crab pots. Its star faces the bay to welcome the fishing boats and crews home.

Photo by Mark Larson

every commercial crab season, the Commercial Fishermen's Wives of Humboldt have erected a lighted "tree" made from dozens of crab pots that stands 18 pots high. The star faces out toward Humboldt Bay to welcome home the fishing boats and crews, though this year the fleet remains at anchor as the opening of crab season has been delayed until the start of the new year.

While the crab pot Christmas tree is interesting to look at any time of day or night, I recommend timing your walk here with the setting sun to view it at twilight. And to see more holiday lighting, head back east along the well-lit trail past the restaurant and look for Alan Workman's sailboat *Belle France*, moored close to shore at one of the docks. It's one of the few boats in the marina with holiday lighting and you can see great reflections of its lighting display. Look past it and you'll see the Carson Mansion across the bay outlined in white holiday lighting.

As we drove home in the dark after

our latest walk, we started wondering about the origins of the name of Woodley Island. I called Jerry Rohde, our go-to local expert on all things related to the history of Humboldt County, and he quickly shared the answer. According to him, the island was named after its first settler owner, Captain William J. Woodley, who claimed it in 1869. Not long after, according to the records, Woodley sold the island to a D. R. Jones who soon built a lumber mill. It was a good location for a lumber mill as logs were floated down rivers and across the bay to the lumber mills until the railroads were built. And it's also a good location for a walk any time of year, especially when there's fresh seafood for sale on the docks. ●

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# Happy Happy, Joy Joy

By Collin Yeo

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**W**ell, here it is, the first Setlist of winter and the last one whose dates are entirely booked within the year 2022. This has been a rough year for a lot of us. I certainly haven't enjoyed it much and I look forward to the future as always, thinking about that quote I like to occasionally flog around from Warren Ellis' excellent Transmetropolitan series, where the tattooed, bald, boozy, weirdo journalist (no relation) Spider Jerusalem reminds us, "The future is inherently a good thing." I still abide by that notion; it keeps the pistons running on those cold mornings when the steam from my lungs looks like the exhaust of defeat. I grab onto mantras — Ren and Stimpy have since childhood helped me with their "Happy happy, joy joy," line of butt-smacking exuberance. I listen to so much music, dear reader — that's been perhaps the best gift regarding this gig, getting to hear so many different artists in the span of a year, live and at home, over a thousand of them in 2022 alone. It's a good life, wonderful even, with a nod to Jimmy Stewart's George Bailey. But — I say this every year around the winter holidays, so bear with me, please — things aren't so great for everyone, and we don't live in a society that takes care of its people. If you have anything to spare, there's nothing quite like giving those resources, be they clothes, food or even money, to those who really need it. I drive around with extra coats in my truck in case I see someone who's cold. Every little bit helps and on the off chance that all we have is each other, it literally means the world. Happy holidays, Merry Christmas, welcome to winter.

## Thursday

**Alex Kent** is a young singer songwriter who is trying it out on the local circuit. His primary styles are blues, rock and

Americana, and he performs both originals and covers. You can check him out this evening at 7 p.m. at the Speakeasy, where there is no cover for the gig.

## Friday

With the winter upon us and the holidays all around, tonight's gig at the Arcata Playhouse is the one big one of the week. Luckily, it's a real winner. At 8 p.m. you can join **Canary and the Vamp**, Humboldt's Tin Pan Alley treasures, as they play the greats from the early 20th century American songbook (\$15). As I have noted previously, the band has only gotten better with the addition of Aleister Paige's pedal steel and strings, and the multi-instrumental evolution of front-lady Beverly Twist. That the group pulls it all off without a drummer isn't a liability, but an asset, allowing for more space and rhythm to be generated by Ryan Robert's guitar and John Ludington's excellent upright bass-manship. You don't want to miss this holiday treat.

## Saturday, Christmas Eve

If you are a live-music maniac and you really need to scratch that itch, the best I can suggest tonight is to head over to the Wave Lounge at the Blue Lake Casino tonight at 9 p.m. Especially if you are a deadhead, as an assembled troupe of **local dead cover artistes** are taking the stage to celebrate the music of the late Mr. Garcia. Rather than get visited by three moralizing ghosts tonight, may you find yourself surrounded by dancing skeletons instead (free).

## Sunday, Christmas

If you take anything from the story of Jesus, I think that the central message is one of love and its incredible, transformative powers, as well as the terror it evokes in us. To love your neighbor is one thing, but to love your enemy, and the world at large, without reservation, remains an incredibly radical act more than 2,000 years after the nativity. I struggle with it daily and am often reminded (I'm paraphrasing here) of the author Evelyn Waugh explaining his utter shittiness in the face of his piety: "Can you imagine how much worse I'd be if I weren't a believer?"

Anyway, no matter what you believe, or who you are, have a blessed day and spread the love. You deserve it to flow through you, and radiate it to everyone around you. Unless you are Senator Ted Cruz, in which case I hope you get a brief vision of how truly loathsome you are.

## Monday, Boxing Day

Both my paternal grandparents were immigrants from the Maritime provinces in Canada, so I imagine that they had a much better handle on just whatever it is Boxing Day is supposed to represent. I celebrate by taking all of my garbage from Christmas, as well as whatever food scraps I can find, and animal waste in my yard, box it all up, and mail it to Sen. Ted Cruz. This is of course a parody, a joke that is completely fictitious and legally prohibited. Plus, I would hate my garbage to feed whatever demonic, tapeworm entity is inhabiting his skin so poorly.

## Tuesday

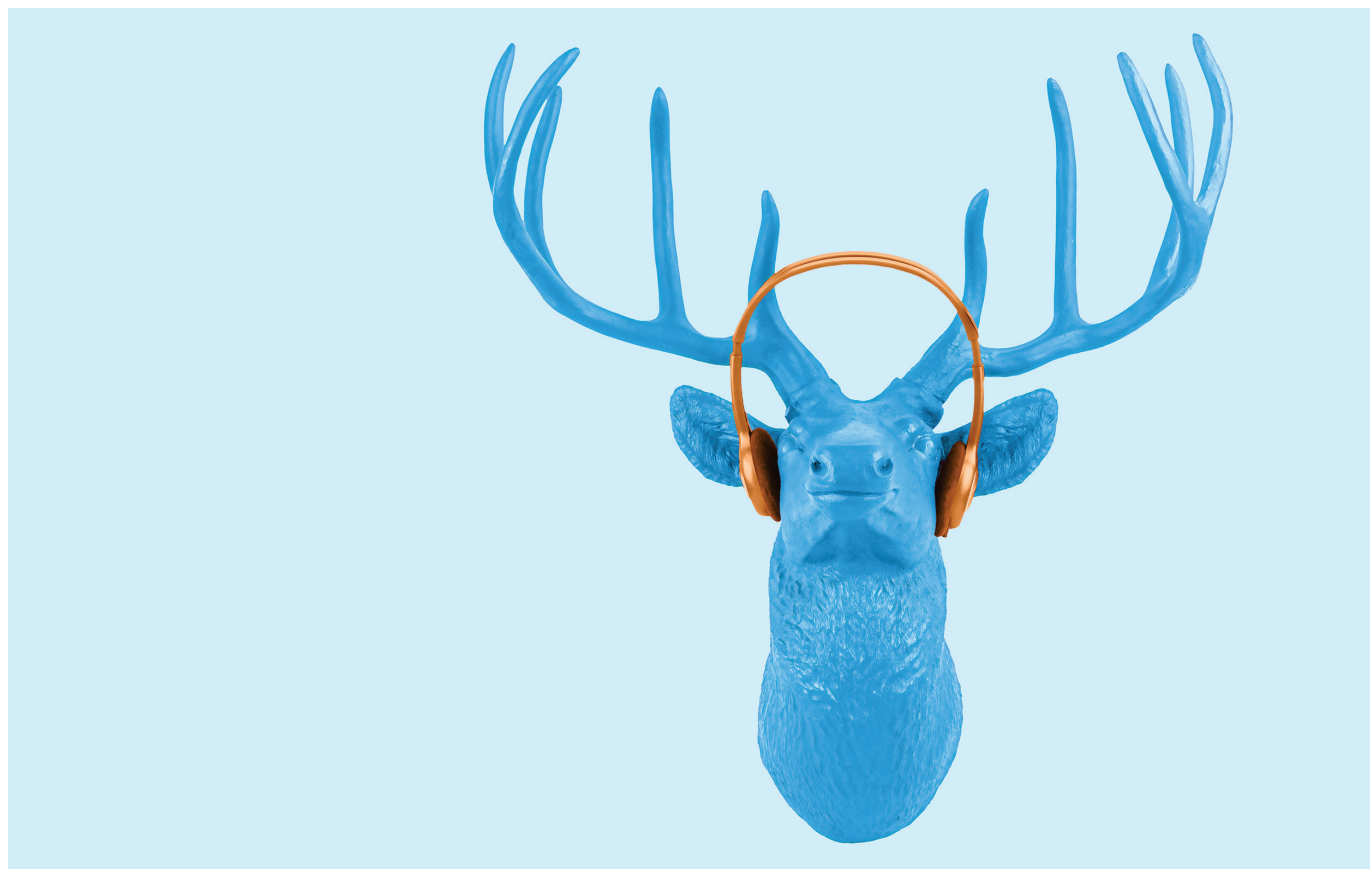
If *The Nightmare Before Christmas* has taught us anything, it's that there is a not-insubstantial population in the goth community who loves the yuletide season. If you are among that group, consider going to the Siren's Song Tavern tonight, where at 8 p.m. you will find the post punk, goth group **In Retrograde**. Also on the bill is an act called **Thundercloud**, about whom I know very little beyond the name. As with most Siren's Song shows, the door price is not immediately apparent, so bring some coins for the bands.

## Wednesday

As we are still in the torpor of the holidays, there isn't much music going on tonight. Although, if you feel like flexing your mind and pulling yourself out of said torpor, Savage Henry Comedy Club is hosting its **Washington Square Wednesdays** at 6 p.m., where you can play chess with other OG gamers and pretend that you are freezing your tuchus off in the titular Manhattan Park.

On a side note, I would like to wish my middle brother Ian, aka local rapper **ruffIAN**, a very happy birthday. I love you, champ, and being your smaller older brother has been one of the unwavering joys in my life. Keep doing your level best to compensate for my wickedness by being such a good guy. ●

*Collin Yeo (he/him) really doesn't care much for this Ted Cruz fella. He lives in Arcata, almost out of stink range of the guy.*



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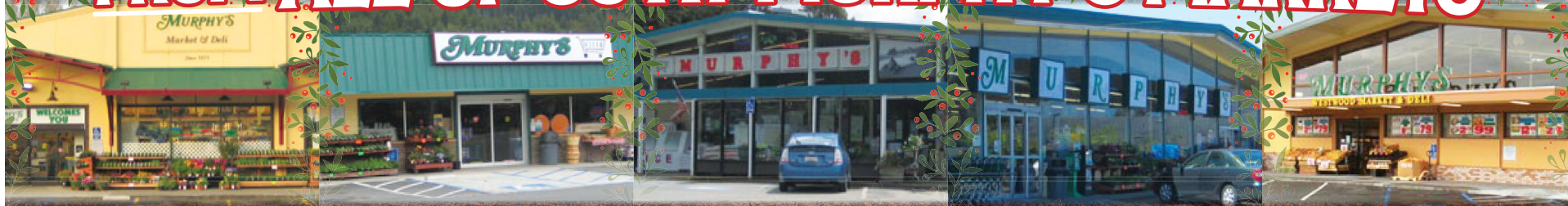


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# Calendar

## Dec. 22 – 29, 2022



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Get into the holiday swing if you haven't already. The **Arcata Playhouse** makes it easy with **A Holiday Evening with Canary and the Vamp** on **Friday, Dec. 23, at 8 p.m.** (\$15). The fancy specialty cocktails and hot chocolate will be flowing. Nab yourself a chocolate chip cookie, toast your neighbor and relax into the jazzy Americana stylings of the nouveau retro band's strings and songs.



File

Here's your chance at Star Search — the **Solstice Sea Star Search**, that is. On **Thursday, Dec. 22**, from **3:30 to 6:30 p.m.**, the hunt is on. Get some fresh air as the sun goes down at Baker Beach in Trinidad and join the Trinidad Coastal Land Trust, whose members will guide you, and see if you can spot the colorful creatures. Register by emailing [zoe@trinidadcoastallandtrust.org](mailto:zoe@trinidadcoastallandtrust.org) or calling (707) 677-2501, and keep your eyes peeled.



Photo by Mark Larson

'Tis the Season of Wonder & Light on the **Arcata Plaza**, winding up with Arcata Main Street's **Last Minute Shopping Party** on **Dec. 23** from **6 to 8 p.m.** (Yeah, not kidding about the last minute, there.) Relax, procrastinators. Even if you've got your whole nice list left to shop for, this evening will make it fun. There'll be live music to drown out your frantic internal soundtrack, a Snowflake Party with sparkly Snowflake Queen Shoshanna and a visit from Santa (free).

## 22 Thursday

### ART

**Figure Drawing at Synopsis.** 7-9 p.m. Synopsis Collective, 1675 Union Street, Eureka. With a live model. Bring your own art supplies. Call to contact Clint. \$5. [synopsisperformance.com](mailto:synopsisperformance.com). (707) 362-9392.

**Thursday Night Art.** 4-7 p.m. The Sanctuary, 1301 J St., Arcata. Bring your own supplies or use what's around to collage, paint, draw, make an art book. Bring an instrument to jam in the Great Hall. Free, \$5-\$20 donation appreciated. [sanctuaryarcata.org](http://sanctuaryarcata.org).

### COMEDY

**Extra! Extra! a Headline News show.** 9 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Anchors Josh Barnes and Calista LaBolle bring you the latest in weather, sports, extreme conspiracy theories and other news. A panel of feature comedians weigh in. \$5. [savagehenrycomedy.com](http://savagehenrycomedy.com). (707) 845-8864.

### DANCE

**O Come Emmanuel.** 7:15-8 p.m. Trinity Baptist Church, 2450 Alliance Road, Arcata. A ballet concert presented by Ballet Emmaus, resident company of McKinleyville's Trinity Ballet Academy directed by Greta Leverett, honoring the birth of Christ. Please no children under 4. Call for pre-reservation options. \$10 suggested donation. (707) 839-1816.

### MUSIC

**McKinleyville Community Choir Rehearsal.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Lutheran Church of Arcata, 151 E. 16th St. Join if you like to sing or play an instrument. Reading music or prior experience not necessary. Rehearsals are every Thursday evening. [cgreene46@gmail.com](mailto:cgreene46@gmail.com). (831) 419-3247.

**Wind Energy: Winter Concert.** 7:30 p.m. Morris Graves Museum of Art, 636 F St., Eureka. Woodwind quintet made up of Eureka Symphony musicians performs a variety of seasonal and non-seasonal chamber music. Free, donations suggested. [humboldtarts.org](http://humboldtarts.org).

### FOOD

**Volunteer Orientation Food for People.** 3-4 p.m. Virtual

World, Online. Help fight hunger and improve nutrition in the community. Visit the website to be invited to a Zoom orientation. Free. [volunteer@foodforpeople.org](mailto:volunteer@foodforpeople.org). [foodforpeople.org/volunteering](http://foodforpeople.org/volunteering). (707) 445-3166, ext. 310.

### HOLIDAY EVENTS

**Live Nativity.** 6-8 p.m. First Covenant Church Eureka, 2526 J St. See the story of Christmas told through seven drive-thru scenes (including live animals: donkey, sheep, cow) from the comfort of your car. Near I and Buhne streets in Eureka. There also is the option of walking by the scenes, reading the narration as you walk. Look for signs/people directing you to the spot. Free. (707) 443-2957.

### OUTDOORS

**Solstice Sea Star Search.** 3:30-6:30 p.m. Baker Beach, Scenic Drive, Trinidad. Community members are invited to join Trinidad Coastal Land Trust for a guided sea star search at Baker Beach, south of Trinidad on Scenic Drive. Please register by emailing [zoe@trinidadcoastallandtrust.org](mailto:zoe@trinidadcoastallandtrust.org) or call (707) 677-2501.

### SPORTS

**Mad River Steelhead Derby.** Countywide, Locations throughout Humboldt County, Humboldt. Sign up for the annual Mad River Steelhead Derby that starts on Sunday, Jan. 1 at 6 a.m. and will run through Tuesday, Feb. 28, 2023 at 6 p.m. Follow the Derby on social media and at [madriversteelheadderby.com](http://madriversteelheadderby.com). [MadRiverSteelheadDerby.com](http://MadRiverSteelheadDerby.com).

**Restorative Movement.** 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. SoHum Health presents classes focused on strength and mobility (Tuesday), and on relaxation and breath work (Thursday). Contact instructor Ann Constantino for online orientation. \$3-\$5 donation per class, no one is turned away for lack of funds. [annconstantino@sohumhealth.org](mailto:annconstantino@sohumhealth.org). (707) 923-3921.

### OPEN MIC

**Blondies Open Mic.** 6 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. Share your gifts. Free. [blondiesfoodanddrink.com](http://blondiesfoodanddrink.com).

**Siren's Song Open Mic.** 7 p.m. The Siren's Song Tavern, 325 Second St., Eureka. Step up to the mic. Free.

## 23 Friday

### COMEDY

**Evan Vest's Holiday Special Extravaganza Event.** 9 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Evan Vest and friends present holiday cheer and laughter. Doors open at 8 p.m. \$10. [info@savagehenrycomedy.com](mailto:info@savagehenrycomedy.com). [savagehenrycomedy.com](http://savagehenrycomedy.com). (707) 845-8864.

**Home Improv-ment.** 7 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Hosted by Stephanie Knowles with no pressure, just fun and a chance to try something out of your comfort zone. Free, donations accepted. [savagehenrycomedy.com](http://savagehenrycomedy.com). (707) 845-8864.

**Please Don't Leave.** 11 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Scott Hoyle runs this improv-based comedy show with a rotating panel of the best local comedians and touring comics. \$5. [info@savagehenrycomedy.com](mailto:info@savagehenrycomedy.com). [savagehenrycomedy.com](http://savagehenrycomedy.com). (707) 845-8864.

### MUSIC

**Friday Night Jazz.** 7-10 p.m. The SpeakEasy, 411 Opera Alley, Eureka. Live local jazz with the Opera Alley Cats. Free. [elvisatemydonuts@hotmail.com](mailto:elvisatemydonuts@hotmail.com). (707) 444-2244.

**A Holiday Evening with Canary and the Vamp.** 8 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. Swing, spaghetti western, Django jazz and Americana. Grab a specialty cocktail and enjoy the glow of close harmonies and spirited instrumental prowess. \$15. [info@arcataplayhouse.org](mailto:info@arcataplayhouse.org). [playhousearts.org/events/a-holiday-evening-with-canary-and-the-vamp/](http://playhousearts.org/events/a-holiday-evening-with-canary-and-the-vamp/). (707) 822-1575.

**Kenny Bowling.** 9-midnight. Clam Beach Tavern, 4611 Central Ave., McKinleyville. Country music. Every Friday.

**Live Music.** 6-8:30 p.m. Fieldbrook Market & Eatery, 4636 Fieldbrook Road. Every Friday, local bands play folk, bluegrass, Americana. Always family friendly. Check Facebook or Instagram for updates on who's playing. Free. [fieldbrookmarket@gmail.com](mailto:fieldbrookmarket@gmail.com). (707) 633-6097.

**Opera Alley Cats.** 7-10 p.m. The SpeakEasy, 411 Opera Alley, Eureka. Professional-level jazz twice a week with cool vibes and great people. Free. [thespeakeasybar@yahoo.com](mailto:thespeakeasybar@yahoo.com). [facebook.com/speakeasyeureka](https://facebook.com/speakeasyeureka). (707) 444-2244.

### FOR KIDS

**Kid's Night at the Museum.** 5:30-8 p.m. Redwood Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. Drop off your 3.5-12 year old for interactive exhibits, science experiments, crafts and games, exploring the planetarium, playing in the water table or jumping into the soft blocks. \$17-\$20. [info@discovery-museum.org](mailto:info@discovery-museum.org). [discovery-museum.org/classes/programs.html](http://discovery-museum.org/classes/programs.html). (707) 443-9694.

### GARDEN

**Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities.** 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Help with animal care, weeding, watering, planting and occasional harvest help on Saturday mornings. Volunteers get free produce. [flowerstone333@gmail.com](mailto:flowerstone333@gmail.com). (530) 205-5882.

### HOLIDAY EVENTS

**Julia Morgan Redwood Grove Holiday Decor Home Tour.** 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Julia Morgan Redwood Grove, 255 Benbow Dam Road, Garberville. Weekend self-guided tour of the private estate. Get tickets online at [\\$20. juliamorganredwoodgrove.com](https://eventbrite.com/e/christmas-home-tour-tickets-468596453607?aff=eand).

**Last Minute Shopping Party.** 6-8 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. With music and a Snow Party with Shoshanna the Snowflake Queen.

**Season of Wonder & Light.** 6-8 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Arcata Main Street invites you to celebrate with a Sunday holiday art market on the Dec. 18, Chanukah on the Plaza also Dec. 18 at 4:30 p.m. and a Last Minute Shopping Party on Dec. 23 from 6 to 8 p.m. with music and a Snow Party. Free. [arcatamainstreet@gmail.com](mailto:arcatamainstreet@gmail.com). (707) 822-4500.

### ETC

**Public Skate.** 6:30-9:30 p.m. Fortuna Skating Rink, Rohner Park. In the Firemen's Pavilion. \$5.50 ages 6 and over, \$3.50 ages 5 and under, \$2 non-skating adult or free w/ skating child.

**Tabata.** 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. SoHum Health presents online classes with short, high intensity cardio workouts. Contact instructor Stephanie Finch by email for a link to the class. Free. [sfinch40@gmail.com](mailto:sfinch40@gmail.com). [sohumhealth.com](http://sohumhealth.com).

### OTHER

**Reel Genius Trivia Fourth Friday at Papa & Barkley.** Fourth Friday of every month, 6-8 p.m. Papa & Barkley Social, 4325 Broadway, Eureka. General trivia. 21+ event. ID required. Free to play. Win prizes. Max seven per team. Free. [partners@reelgeniustrivia.com](http://partners@reelgeniustrivia.com). (707) 601-1606.

### KARAOKE

**Pretty Kitty Karaoke.** 9:30 p.m. Redwood Empire VFW Post 1872, 1018 H St., Eureka. Hosted by Jamie Kohl of Little Red fame. Cash only. Ages 21 and up. Veterans welcome. Shuffleboard. [PearceHansen999@outlook.com](mailto:PearceHansen999@outlook.com). [facebook.com/profile.php?id=100082987501904](https://facebook.com/profile.php?id=100082987501904). (206) 348-9335.

## 24 Saturday

### ART

**Holiday Sale.** 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Fire Arts Center, 520 South G St., Arcata. Featuring ceramics and fused glass by Fire Arts members and students. [director@fireartsarcata.com](mailto:director@fireartsarcata.com). [fireartsarcata.com](http://fireartsarcata.com). (707) 826-1445.

### COMEDY

**Farm to Table: Late Night Comedy.** 11 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Base-

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### FOOD

**Arcata Plaza Farmers Market.** 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Fresh produce, meat, fish, cheese, eggs, bread, flowers and more. Enjoy music (during the main season) and hot food vendors at this fun, family friendly event. Free. [info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org](mailto:info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org). [northcoastgrowersassociation.org/arcataplaza.html](http://northcoastgrowersassociation.org/arcataplaza.html). (707) 441-9999.

**Sea Goat Farmstand.** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Fresh veggies grown on site, local eggs and sourdough bread. Work from local artists and artisans. [flowerstone333@gmail.com](mailto:flowerstone333@gmail.com). (530) 205-5882.

### GARDEN

**Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities.** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. See Dec. 23 listing.

### HOLIDAY EVENTS

**Julia Morgan Redwood Grove Holiday Decor Home Tour.** 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Julia Morgan Redwood Grove, 255 Benbow Dam Road, Garberville. See Dec. 23 listing.

### MEETINGS

**Sistahood.** 9:30-11 a.m. Virtual World, Online. For women teenagers and older on Zoom, to build healthy relationships and strengthen ties through validation and affirmation. Music from 9:30 a.m., open conversation from 9:45 a.m., meditation with the Sista Prayer Warriors from 10:45 a.m.

### OUTDOORS

**Audubon Guided Field Trip w/Kathryn Wendel.** 8:30-11 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Bring your binoculars and meet trip leader Kathryn Wendel at the end of South I Street (Klopp Lake) for easy-to-walk trails, a beautiful view of Humboldt Bay, and a diverse range of winter birds, including ducks, shorebirds, raptors, pelicans and cormorants. [rras.org](http://rras.org).

**FOAM Marsh Tour w/Barbara Reisman.** 2 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Meet leader Barbara Reisman in the lobby of the Interpretive Center on South G Street for a 90-minute, rain-or-shine walk focusing on marsh plants, history and/or ecology. Masks are strongly recommended inside the building. Free. (707) 826-2359.

**Wigi Wetlands Volunteer Workday.** 9-11 a.m. Wigi Wetlands, Behind the Bayshore Mall, Eureka. Help create bird-friendly native habitats and restore a section of the bay trail by removing invasive plants and trash. Meet in the parking lot directly behind Walmart. Tools, gloves and packaged snacks provided. Please bring your own drinking water. Free. [jeremy.cashen@yahoo.com](mailto:jeremy.cashen@yahoo.com). [rras.org](http://rras.org). (214) 605-7368.

### OTHER

**Thursday-Friday-Saturday Canteen.** 3-9 p.m. Redwood Empire VFW Post 1872, 1018 H St., Eureka. See the newly remodeled Memorial Building and enjoy a cold beverage in the canteen with comrades. Play pool or darts. If you're a veteran, this place is for you. Free. [PearceHansen999@outlook.com](mailto:PearceHansen999@outlook.com). (707) 443-5331.

**25 Sunday**

### COMEDY

**Sunday Open-Mic.** 9-11 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club,

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415 Fifth St., Eureka. Sign-ups at 9 p.m., show at 9:30 p.m., local favorite features for the 10@10. Comics get five minutes. Zero hate speech tolerated. All-ages w/caution for language. Snacks, drinks. Free, donations accepted. info@savagehenrycomedy.com. savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

## MUSIC

**Sunday Jazz Jams.** 5:30-8:30 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. Every Sunday. Jazz players, all ages, all levels. Bring your ax and play some Real Book tunes. Everybody who wants to plays. Free. blondiesfoodanddrink@gmail.com. blondies-foodanddrink.com. (707) 822-3453.

## EVENTS

**Reel Genius Trivia every Sunday at Fieldbrook Market & Eatery.** 6-8 p.m. Fieldbrook Market & Eatery, 4636 Fieldbrook Road. General trivia fun for everyone. Free to play; win prizes. Max 7 players per team. 0. partners@reelgeniustrivia.com. fb.me/e/2ewBnU70H. 7076011606.

## FOOD

**Food Not Bombs.** 4 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Free, hot food for everyone. Mostly vegan and organic and always delicious. Free.

## HOLIDAY EVENTS

**River Life Foundation's Community Christmas Dinner.** 1-3 p.m. Fortuna Veterans Hall/Memorial Building, 1426 Main St. Curbside and delivery available in Fortuna. Volunteers needed. (707) 296-0415.

## OUTDOORS

**Christmas Day Walk.** 10 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Join leaders Paul Johnson and Ken Burton, and Friends of the Arcata Marsh's for a 90-minute, rain-or-shine leg-stretcher. Meet in front of the Arcata Marsh Interpretive Center on South G Street. Free. (707) 826-235.

## OTHER

**Reel Genius Trivia at Fieldbrook Market & Eatery every Sunday.** 6-8 p.m. Fieldbrook Market & Eatery, 4636 Fieldbrook Road. General trivia for prizes. Max seven per team. Free. partners@reelgeniustrivia.com. (707) 601-1606.

**Trivia with Reel Genius.** 6-8:30 p.m. Fieldbrook Market & Eatery, 4636 Fieldbrook Road. Hosted by Reel Genius. Max team size is seven. Starts at 6 p.m. sharp. Family friendly. Prizes. Free. fieldbrookmarket@gmail.com. (707) 633-6097.

## KARAOKE

**Goat Karaoke.** 9 p.m. Richards' Goat Tavern & Tea Room, 401 I St., Arcata. Doors at 8:30 p.m. Singing at 9 p.m. Due to current health concerns, all Miniplex events are intended for vaccinated folks only, masks required while indoors. Two-drink minimum. richardsgoat.com.

**Karaoke at Clam Beach Tavern.** 8-midnight. Clam Beach Tavern, 4611 Central Ave., McKinleyville. Every Sunday night.

# 26 Monday

## FOOD

**Volunteer Orientation Food for People.** 3:30-4:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Dec. 22 listing.

## HOLIDAY EVENTS

**Fortuna Holiday Dazzle.** City of Fortuna, Various city locations. Citywide decorating contest for residences and businesses within city limits. Win cash and prizes. Sign up by Dec. 11. Public votes Dec. 12-26.

## ETC

**Homesharing Info Session.** 9:30-10 a.m. and 1-1:30 p.m. This informational Zoom session will go over the steps and safeguards of Area 1 Agency on Aging's matching process and the different types of homeshare partnerships. Email for the link. Free. homeshare@alaa.org. alaa.org/homesharing. (707) 442-3763.

**Humboldt Bounskee League.** 6-8 p.m. Humboldt Brews, 856 10th St., Arcata. Weekly league nights. Purchase of any wood bounskee from Humbrews or the website includes one-month family membership for future events. All ages. Free. bounskee@gmail.com. bounskee.fun. (707) 601-9492.

**Tabata.** 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Dec. 23 listing.

## OPEN MIC

**Clam Beach Open Mic.** 8-midnight. Clam Beach Tavern, 4611 Central Ave., McKinleyville. Every Monday night.

## KARAOKE

**Karaoke at the Jam.** 9 p.m. The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. Hosted by Dustin Thompkins. Free. thejamarcata.com.

# 27 Tuesday

## MUSIC

**Opera Alley Cats.** 7-10 p.m. The SpeakEasy, 411 Opera Alley, Eureka. See Dec. 23 listing.

## MEETINGS

**Humboldt Cribbage Club Tournament.** 6:15-9 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Weekly six-game cribbage tournament for experienced players. Inexperienced players may watch, learn and play on the side. Moose dinner available at 5:30 p.m. \$3-\$8. 31for14@gmail.com. (707) 599-4605.

## ETC

**Bingo Night.** Fourth Tuesday of every month, 6-9 p.m. Redwood Curtain Brewing Co. Myrtle Ave. Tasting Room, 1595 B Myrtle Ave., Eureka. BEER-I-N-G-O! Free. (707) 269-7143.

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**Restorative Movement.** 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Dec. 22 listing.

## DJS

**Hip Hop Night w/DJM.** 10 p.m.-1 a.m. Clam Beach Tavern, 4611 Central Ave., McKinleyville. Every Tuesday night.

## OTHER

**You Guessed It.** 7-9 p.m. Bear River Casino Resort, 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta. Compete against other teams for prizes like free play, free fuel, dining credits and Bear River swag. Free. bearrivercasino.com/thirsty-bear-lounge.

## OPEN MIC

**Spoken Word Open Mic.** 6-9 p.m. Northtown Coffee, 1603 G St., Arcata. Performances from local and nationally known poets, local business spotlights and more. Open mic list will be out at 5:45 p.m. Free.

## KARAOKE

**Karaoke.** 8 p.m. Firewater Lounge, Cher-Ae Heights Casino, 27 Scenic Drive, Trinidad. Pick a song and sing.

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## NCJ IN REVIEW

# Far-Out West

## Opossum Sun Trail's Mojave/Klamath

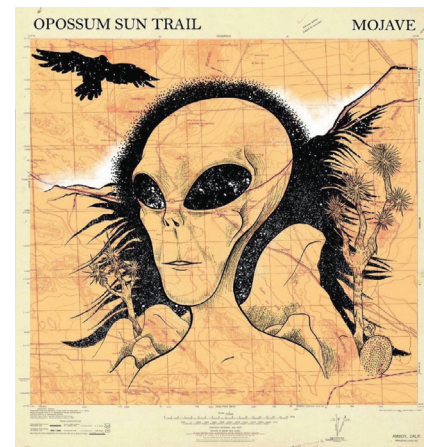
By Collin Yeo

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Opossum Sun Trail is a group I have championed for half a decade for their integrity, musicianship and brilliant creative output. So I didn't want to be too overwrought with the big bag of superlatives I keep stashed for just such an occasion when I reviewed the group's latest release. But dammit, this one is a banger and a true improvement in every way from 2019's intriguing *Strontium Highway*.

In *Mojave/Klamath*, core songwriters and couple Michael Dieter and Nola Pierce inhabit that last great American voyage-maker: the 1999 Ford Econovan. Having been a van dweller myself a decade ago, I can tell you these modern wagons are among the finest shelters one can wake up in, with the obvious caveat that extreme temperatures are just as roughly encountered as they were in its ox-driven forebears. So, I have a lot of admiration for the true grit that Nola and Dieter displayed by parking their rig in the Mojave Desert and beginning the writing process of the first half of this wild album. Over the course of six songs, the two, along with drummer John Daren Thomas and soundsmith Anthony Taibi, create songs that take you out there to the extreme wildness of the place, both in range and mythology. In the reverb-tilted guitar lines and analog keys, you can hear death chants and creation stories, and get haunted by interdimensional aliens popping up in the shimmering sunset. It's a hell of a thing to create a landscape with sound and these two are plain air masters.

The B-side of the record is Klamath, in which the art shifts from a depiction of a little gray man from '50s UFO lore inhabiting a sparkling night on desert topography, to a more regionally familiar cryptid, our good friend Mr. Sasquatch, who is seated in the evergreen mountains of our homeland. I would like to take a moment to acknowledge the cover art by former Humco resident Chet Wheatley, who has risen to the moment and remembered the lost art of old school record covers. The opening songs in the mirrored six-song suite are "Klamath 1," with its modal, sliding guitar paired with drum swells and keys, and



Opossum Sun Trail's new album *Mojave/Klamath*. Submitted

"Klamath 2," in which the modal melody is now taken up by Pierce's lovely voice, while the band builds into a proper freakout that would have anyone with a taste for good psychedelic salivating like a thirsty coyote. However, it's the changes that make the whole thing work; they are effortless, unpredictable and beautiful. There are so many sounds on this record I cannot wait to get a copy on black wax, and lose myself in the needle and grooves with a good set of headphones. I am right now thinking of a few friends whose hi-fi sets are going to be invaded by this glorious business after the holidays.

I have long made it a practice to only reviewing records I enjoy because, frankly, this town ain't big enough to be making enemies, foreign or domestic, and I don't like to slag off people's art. Some things aren't for me and some things are also just bad, even when judged by the scope of their own aesthetic merits. But here I find myself reviewing something I am actually ecstatic about. By the time the last track, "Moonburn," fades into you, the immediate urge is to start the whole thing over.

Despite the high regard in which I have always held Opossum Sun Trail and its musicians for years, I am astonished by the glory of this record. It's a step up in every regard, from concept to creation. Credit that to the group's travels, throw some credit out there to Grass Valley recording engineer Tim Green and his Louder Studios. Perhaps credit some of this to the "mystic chords of memory" that resonate within the living heart and soul of any true artist who has traveled through these landscapes with an eye for their own version of documentation. And after we're done dispensing the credit, go find this record, help see that it sells out and gets re-pressed again and again. I am so happy to finish this year by reviewing such a scorcher. OK, enough talk, I'm putting it back on the speakers. ●

*Collin Yeo (he/him) has lived in mountains, deserts, swamps, coastal rainforest, and even Brooklyn. These days he lives in Arcata. So it goes.*





### APPLE FRITTER

(ANIMAL COOKIES X SOUR APPLE)

A true hybrid strain-Apple Fritter is known for its powerful and relaxing high.

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### CANDY CANE

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### CHOCOLATE HASHBERRY

(CHOCOLATE KUSH X BLACKBERRY KUSH)

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### GUSHERS

(GELATO #41 "COOKIES FAMILY" X TRANGLE KUSH)

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(CARAMEL CREAM X PINEAPPLE UPSIDEDOWN CAKE)

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(BLUEBERRY MUFFIN X WEDDING CAKE)

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The strain is bursting with sweet blueberry scent. The earthy flavor of Wedding Cake crosses well to create a smell reminiscent of a blueberry pastry.

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## NCJ CALENDAR

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## 28 Wednesday

### ART

**Figure Drawing.** 6-8:30 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. \$5. [blondiesfoodanddrink.com](http://blondiesfoodanddrink.com).

### BOOKS

**On the Same Page Book Club.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Online book club that meets on the first Wednesday of the month on Zoom. Sign up using the Google form at [forms.gle/bAsjdQ7hKGqEgJK7](https://forms.gle/bAsjdQ7hKGqEgJK7).

### COMEDY

**Open Mikey.** 9-11 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. The longest running comedy open-mic the county. Sign up at 9 p.m. for a five-minute set. Show at 9:30 p.m. Snacks, drinks, zero hate speech tolerated. All-ages w/caution for language. Free, donations accepted. [info@savagehenrycomedy.com](mailto:info@savagehenrycomedy.com). [savagehenrycomedy.com](http://savagehenrycomedy.com). (707) 845-8864.

### MOVIES

**Sci-Fi Night: *Interstellar* (2014).** 6-9:30 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Pre-show at 6 p.m. Raffle at 6:55 p.m. Main feature at 7 p.m. Rated PG-13. All ages. \$5 admission, \$9 admission and poster. [info@arcatatheatre.com](mailto:info@arcatatheatre.com). [facebook.com/events/8871907696156336](https://facebook.com/events/8871907696156336). (707) 613-3030.

### MUSIC

**Bayside Ballads and Blues.** 6-8 p.m. Clam Beach Tavern, 4611 Central Ave., McKinleyville. Every Wednesday.

### EVENTS

**Out 4 Business.** Last Wednesday of every month, 4-6:30 p.m. Phatsy Kline's Parlor Lounge, 139 Second St., Eureka. An LGBTQ+ professionals networking mixer for LGBTQ+ community, friends, allies and business professionals who value diversity and inclusivity. Food and drinks. Free. [trex@historiceaglehouse.com](mailto:trex@historiceaglehouse.com). [facebook.com/events/465896384993422/465896418326752/?active\\_tab=discussion](https://facebook.com/events/465896384993422/465896418326752/?active_tab=discussion). (707) 407-0634.

### GARDEN

**Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities.** 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. See Dec. 23 listing.

### ETC

**Tabata.** 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Dec. 23 listing.

### DJS

**Weds Night Ting.** The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. Reggae, dancehall, Afrobeats, basshall. Resident DJs Pressure and D'Vinity. Surprise guest DJs and bands. TBD. [thejamarcata.com](http://thejamarcata.com).

### MISC. NIGHTLIFE

**Reel Genius Trivia Every Wednesday.** 6-8 p.m. The Madrone Taphouse, 421 Third St., Eureka. General trivia; fun for everyone. Free to play, win prizes. Max 7 players per team. [partners@reelgeniustrivia.com](mailto:partners@reelgeniustrivia.com). [fb.me/e/2ewB-nU70H](https://fb.me/e/2ewB-nU70H). 707-601-1606.

### OTHER

**Reel Genius Trivia Wednesdays at the Madrone.** 6-8 p.m. The Madrone Taphouse, 421 Third St., Eureka. General trivia for everyone Free to play, win prizes. Max seven people per team. Free. [partners@reelgeniustrivia.com](mailto:partners@reelgeniustrivia.com). [reelgeniustrivia.com/](https://reelgeniustrivia.com/). (707) 601-1606.

## 29 Thursday

### ART

**Figure Drawing at Synopsis.** 7-9 p.m. Synopsis Collective, 1675 Union Street, Eureka. See Dec. 22 listing.

**Thursday Night Art.** 4-7 p.m. The Sanctuary, 1301 J St., Arcata. See Dec. 22 listing.

### MUSIC

**McKinleyville Community Choir Rehearsal.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Lutheran Church of Arcata, 151 E. 16th St. See Dec. 22 listing.

### EVENTS

**Reel Genius Trivia Theme \*The Grateful Dead\* at The Madrone Taphouse.** 6-8 p.m. The Madrone Taphouse, 421 Third St., Eureka. Trivia theme night. All questions about The Grateful Dead. Fun for everyone. Free to play; prizes for the winning team, and for the best team name. Max 7 per team. Reservations strongly encouraged. 0. [partners@reelgeniustrivia.com](mailto:partners@reelgeniustrivia.com). [fb.me/e/2xxK3aVfH](https://fb.me/e/2xxK3aVfH). 7076011606.

### FOOD

**Volunteer Orientation Food for People.** 3-4 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Dec. 22 listing.

### SPORTS

**Mad River Steelhead Derby.** Countywide, Locations throughout Humboldt County, Humboldt. See Dec. 22 listing.

**Restorative Movement.** 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Dec. 22 listing.

### OPEN MIC

**Blondies Open Mic.** 6 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. See Dec. 22 listing.

**Siren's Song Open Mic.** 7 p.m. The Siren's Song Tavern, 325 Second St., Eureka. See Dec. 22 listing.

## Heads Up ...

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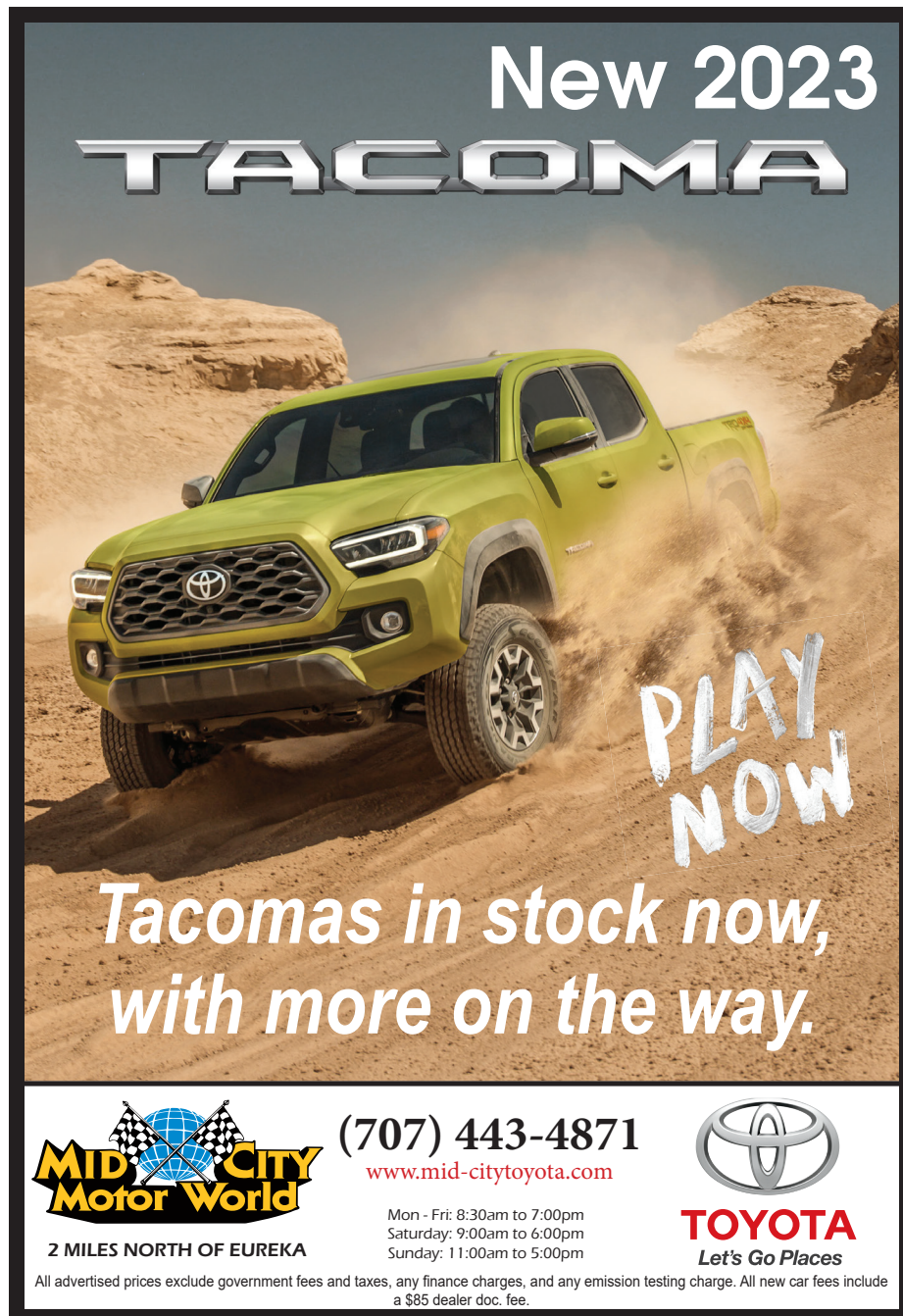
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Bryan Jacobsen CASE NO.  
PR2200352**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Barry Bryan Jacobsen, Barry B. Jacobsen, and Barry Jacobsen A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Audine A. Kohinka

In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Audine A. Kohinka

be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on January 05, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 3. For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

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**NOTICE OF PETITION TO  
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF CASE  
NO. PR2200347**

Carlton L. Hellberg, a/k/a Carlton LeRoy Hellberg  
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Carlton L. Hellberg, a/k/a Carlton LeRoy Hellberg  
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Kate C. Hellberg  
In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Kate C. Hellberg

be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.  
THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court.

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IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a

contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER:  
James D. Poovey  
James D. Poovey, LLC  
937 Sixth Street  
Eureka, CA 95501  
(707) 443-6744  
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

12/15, 12/22, 12/29 (22-479)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO  
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF Jesse  
Paul Wedemeyer aka Jesse  
Wedemeyer CASE NO.  
PR2200349**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Jesse Paul Wedemeyer aka Jesse Wedemeyer

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Shira Jane Wedemeyer  
In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Shira Jane Wedemeyer

be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons

unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on January 12, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 3.

For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER:  
Jocelyn M. Godinho, Esq.  
Law Office of Hjerpe & Godinho, LLP  
350 E Street, 1st Floor  
Eureka, CA 95501  
(707) 442-7262  
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

12/15, 12/22, 12/29 (22-489)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO  
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF Mary  
Jo Gallagher CASE NO.  
PR2200330**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in

the will or estate, or both, of Mary Jo Gallagher  
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Sandralee McCabe  
In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Sandralee McCabe

be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on February 02, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 3. For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER:

Sandralee McCabe  
6242 Robin Hood Way  
Oakland, CA 94611  
(831) 251-2230  
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

12/15, 12/22, 12/29 (22-488)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO  
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF  
William Robert Landowski aka  
William R. Landowski CASE  
NO. PR2200343**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of William Robert Landowski aka William R. Landowski

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, William Landowski Jr. In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that William Landowski Jr. be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on December 29, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 3.

For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

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IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept



by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER:  
Jocelyn M. Godinho, Esq.  
Law Office of Hjerpe & Godinho, LLP  
350 E Street, 1st Floor  
Eureka, CA 95501  
(707) 442-7262

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

12/8, 12/15, 12/22 (22-474)

**PUBLISHED NOTICE OF SEIZURE AND JUDICIAL FORFEITURE**

On October 19th, 2022, the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office seized property for forfeiture from Linda Lane in Garberville, California, in connection with controlled substance violations, to wit, Section 11359 of the Health and Safety Code of California. The seized property is described as: \$150,975.00 in U.S. Currency. Control Number 22-F-17 has been assigned to this case. Use this number to identify the property in any correspondence with the Office of the Humboldt County District Attorney.

If your claim is not timely filed, the Humboldt County District Attorney will declare the property described in this notice to be forfeited to the State and it will be disposed of as provided in Health and Safety Code Section 11489.

22-485

**PUBLISHED NOTICE OF SEIZURE AND NON-JUDICIAL FORFEITURE**

On August 17th, 2022, Deputies from the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office seized property for forfeiture in connection with controlled substance violations, to wit, Section 11359 of the Health and Safety Code of California from Ocean Drive in McKinleyville, California. The seized property is described as: \$8,500.00 in US currency and Control Number 22-F-13 has been assigned to this case. Use this number to identify the property in any correspondence with the Office of the Humboldt County District Attorney.

If your claim is not timely filed, the Humboldt County District Attorney will declare the property described in this notice to be forfeited to the State and it will be disposed of as provided in Health and Safety Code Section 11489.

22-486

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00684**

The following person is doing Business as  
**Lost Coast Populist**

Humboldt  
4602 Dows Prairie Rd  
McKinleyville, CA 95519

**Humboldt Media Group LLC  
CA 202252813352  
4602 Dows Prairie Rd  
McKinleyville, CA 95519**

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Donnie Lee Creekmore, CEO, Founder  
This October 31, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

12/1, 12/8, 12/15, 12/22 (22-467)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00725**

The following person is doing Business as  
**American Hydroponics**

Humboldt  
286 South G Street  
Arcata, CA 95521

**Sun Circle, Inc.  
CA C1237929  
286 South G Street  
Arcata, CA 95521**

The business is conducted by a Corporation. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Jennifer Harris, President & CEO  
This November 21, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

12/15, 12/22, 12/29, 1/5 (22-482)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00730**

The following person is doing Business as  
**Eureka Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram Fiat**

Humboldt  
4320 Broadway

Eureka, CA 95503  
4800 N US Hwy 101  
Eureka, CA 95503

**Eureka Motors, Inc.  
4800 N US Hwy 101  
Eureka, CA 95503**

The business is conducted by a Corporation. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Trevor Harper, President  
This November 23, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

12/15, 12/22, 12/29, 1/5 (22-487)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00731**

The following person is doing Business as  
**NORTHERN HARVEST**

Humboldt  
5208 Boyd Rd  
Arcata, CA 955212

**JBL VENTURES LLC  
4538 Greenwood HTS  
Kneeling, CA 955449**

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Jamey Bacca, Owner  
This November 28, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

12/8, 12/15, 12/22, 12/29 (22-476)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00736**

The following person is doing Business as  
**The Bo Huston Prize**

Humboldt  
2212 Albee St.  
Eureka, CA 95501  
2212 Albee St.  
Eureka, CA 95501

**Daniel A Carmell  
2212 Albee St.  
Eureka, CA 95501**

The business is conducted by an Individual.

The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Daniel A Carmell, Founder  
This November 29, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

12/8, 12/15, 12/22, 12/29 (22-477)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00737**

The following person is doing Business as  
**Lo Zee Rose**

Humboldt  
521 13th St  
Eureka, CA 95501

**Elizabeth Gohr  
521 13th St  
Eureka, CA 95501**

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Elizabeth Gohr, Sole Proprietor  
This November 29, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

12/15, 12/22, 12/29, 1/5 (22-481)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00755**

The following person is doing Business as  
**Redwood Notary**

Humboldt  
3519 Kilgore St.  
Eureka, CA 95503  
3519 Kilgore St.  
Eureka, CA 95503

**Heather L. Bottino  
3519 Kilgore St.  
Eureka, CA 95503**

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and

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Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Heather L. Bottino, Owner

This December 08, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk  
12/22, 12/29, 1/5, 1/12 (22-492)



**GRACE GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH**

**Christmas Eve Service**

**Saturday Dec. 24 at 6 pm.**

1450 Hiller Rd.  
McKinleyville

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**

*Christmas Service*

**Family Service**  
12/24 • 4pm

**Candlelight Service**  
12/24 • 8pm

**Worship**  
12/25 • 11am

14th & I Streets, Eureka

**“For to us a child is born... And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.”** Isaiah 9:6

**Rejoice with us!**

**CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE**  
**24 DECEMBER • 7 P.M.**

**CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP**  
**25 DECEMBER • 10 A.M.**

**THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF ARCATA**

**151 East 16th Street • Arcata • 822-5117**



NOTICE INVITING BIDS

1. **Bid Submission.** City of Fortuna (“City”) will accept sealed bids for its Corp Yard Roofing Project (“Project”), by or before Thursday January 19th, 2023, at 2:00 p.m., at Fortuna City Hall, located at 621 11th Street, Fortuna, California, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.
2. **Project Information.**
- 2.1 **Location and Description.** The Project is located at 190 Dinsmore Dr, Fortuna California, and is described as follows:
1. Removal and disposal of 98-foot x 119-foot existing metal roof and insulation, 22 skylights, 240-feet of gutter and 90-feet of down spout.
  2. Install new 3 inch WMP-50 insulation and 26 gage kynar coated white metal roofing (or approved equal).
  3. Treat roofing seams with Butyl tape mastic or approved equivalent.
  4. Use stainless steel fasteners.
  5. Replace rake trim, gutters and downspouts
  6. Replace 19 of the skylights (fiber glass or acrylic).
  7. Re-flash three 6-inch vent pipes.
  8. Replace four 20 inch round vents.
  9. Provide all necessary work and materials to replace existing 8-foot x 10.5-foot roll-up door with 12-foot x 10.5-foot roll-up door, and dispose of demolished materials (bid alternate A).
  10. Replace 3 exterior metal wall panels on southeast building corner, and dispose of demolished materials (bid alternate B).
- 2.2 **Time for Final Completion.** The Project must be fully completed within 30 calendar days from the start date set forth in the Notice to Proceed. City anticipates that the Work will begin on or about April 1, 2023, but the anticipated start date is provided solely for convenience and is neither certain nor binding.
3. **License and Registration Requirements.**
- 3.1 **License.** This Project requires a valid California contractor’s license for the following classification(s): Class A or Class B General Contractor.
- 3.2 **DIR Registration.** City may not accept a Bid Proposal from or enter into the Contract with a bidder, without proof that the bidder is registered with the California Department of Industrial Relations (“DIR”) to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code § 1725.5, subject to limited legal exceptions.
4. **Contract Documents.** The plans, specifications, bid forms and contract documents for the Project, and any addenda thereto (“Contract Documents”) may be downloaded from City’s website located at: <http://www.friendlyfortuna.com>
5. **Bid Security.** The Bid Proposal must be accompanied by bid security of ten percent of the maximum bid amount, in the form of a cashier’s or certified check made payable to City, or a bid bond executed by a surety licensed to do business in the State of California on the Bid Bond form included with the Contract Documents. The bid security must guarantee that within ten days after City issues the Notice of Potential Award, the successful bidder will execute the Contract and submit the payment and performance bonds, insurance certificates and endorsements, and any other submittals required by the Contract Documents and as specified in the Notice of Potential Award.
6. **Prevailing Wage Requirements.**
- 6.1 **General.** Pursuant to California Labor Code § 1720 et seq., this Project is subject to the prevailing wage requirements applicable to the locality in which the Work is to be performed for each craft, classification or type of worker needed to perform the Work, including employer payments for health and welfare, pension, vacation, apprenticeship and similar purposes.
- 6.2 **Rates.** The prevailing rates are on file with the City and are available online at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR>. Each Contractor and Subcontractor must pay no less than the specified rates to all workers employed to work on the Project. The schedule of per diem wages is based upon a working day of eight hours. The rate for holiday and overtime work must be at least time and one-half.
- 6.3 **Compliance.** The Contract will be subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the DIR, under Labor Code § 1771.4.
7. **Performance and Payment Bonds.** The successful bidder will be required to provide performance and payment bonds, each for 100% of the Contract Price, as further specified in the Contract Documents.
8. **Substitution of Securities.** Substitution of appropriate securities in lieu of retention amounts from progress payments is permitted under Public Contract Code § 22300.
9. **Subcontractor List.** Each Subcontractor must be registered with the DIR to perform work on public projects. Each bidder must submit a completed Subcontractor List form with its Bid Proposal, including the name, location of the place of business, California contractor license number, DIR registration number, and percentage of the Work to be performed (based on the base bid price) for each Subcontractor that will perform Work or service or fabricate or install Work for the prime contractor in excess of one-half of 1% of the bid price, using the Subcontractor List form included with the Contract Documents.
10. **Instructions to Bidders.** All bidders should carefully review the Instructions to Bidders for more detailed information before submitting a Bid Proposal. The definitions provided in Article 1 of the General Conditions apply to all of the Contract Documents, as defined therein, including this Notice Inviting Bids.
11. **Bidders’ Conference.** A bidders’ conference will be held on December 22, 2022 at 11:00 a.m., at the following location: 190 Dinsmore Drive, Fortuna, to acquaint all prospective bidders with the Contract Documents and the Worksite. The bidders’ conference is not mandatory. A bidder who fails to attend a mandatory bidders’ conference may be disqualified from bidding.
12. **Estimated Cost.** The estimated construction cost of the base bid is \$100,000.
13. **Retention Percentage.** The percentage of retention that will be withheld from progress payments is 5%.

Publication Date: December 9th and December 16th, 2022

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR  
CHANGE OF NAME Alexander  
Harry Jioras CASE NO.  
CV2201782

SUPERIOR COURT  
OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT  
825 FIFTH ST.  
EUREKA, CA. 95501  
PETITION OF:  
Alexander Harry Jioras  
for a decree changing names as  
follows:  
Present name  
Alexander Harry Jioras  
to Proposed Name  
Alexander Harry Jioras-Rebik

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.  
NOTICE OF HEARING  
Date: January 13, 2022  
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4  
For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit  
<https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>  
SUPERIOR COURT  
OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT  
825 FIFTH STREET  
EUREKA, CA 95501  
Date: December 01, 2022  
Filed: December 01, 2022  
/s/ Timothy A. Canning  
Judge of the Superior Court

12/15, 12/22, 12/29, 1/5 (22-483)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR  
CHANGE OF NAME Jeffery  
Angel Escareno CASE NO.  
CV2201781

SUPERIOR COURT  
OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT  
825 FIFTH ST.  
EUREKA, CA. 95501  
PETITION OF:  
Jeffery Angel Escareno  
for a decree changing names as  
follows:  
Present name  
Jeffery Angel Escareno  
to Proposed Name  
Augustus Valerian Universalis

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before

the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.  
NOTICE OF HEARING  
Date: January 13, 2022  
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4  
For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit  
<https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>  
SUPERIOR COURT  
OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT  
825 FIFTH STREET  
EUREKA, CA 95501  
Date: December 01, 2022  
Filed: December 01, 2022  
/s/ Timothy A. Canning  
Judge of the Superior Court

12/15, 12/22, 12/29, 1/5 (22-480)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR  
CHANGE OF NAME Joan  
Schuman CASE NO. CV2201863

SUPERIOR COURT  
OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT  
825 FIFTH ST.  
EUREKA, CA. 95501  
PETITION OF:  
Joan Schuman  
for a decree changing names as  
follows:  
Present name  
Joan Schuman  
to Proposed Name  
Joan Elizabeth Schuman

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.  
NOTICE OF HEARING  
Date: January 27, 2023  
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4  
For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit  
<https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>  
SUPERIOR COURT  
OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT  
825 FIFTH STREET  
EUREKA, CA 95501  
Date: December 14, 2022  
Filed: December 14, 2022  
/s/ Timothy A. Canning  
Judge of the Superior Court

12/22, 12/29, 1/5, 1/12 (22-493)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR  
CHANGE OF NAME Matthew  
Dean Jioras CASE NO.  
CV2201783

SUPERIOR COURT  
OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT  
825 FIFTH ST.  
EUREKA, CA. 95501  
PETITION OF:  
Matthew Dean Jioras  
for a decree changing names as  
follows:  
Present name  
Matthew Dean Jioras  
to Proposed Name  
Matthew Dean Jioras-Rebik

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.  
NOTICE OF HEARING  
Date: January 13, 2022  
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4  
For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit  
<https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>  
SUPERIOR COURT  
OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT  
825 FIFTH STREET  
EUREKA, CA 95501  
Date: December 01, 2022  
Filed: December 01, 2022  
/s/ Timothy A. Canning  
Judge of the Superior Court

12/15, 12/22, 12/29, 1/5 (22-484)

T.S. No.: 22-00007 Order No. FHBT-FTO2200249 Loan No.: 20030697 APN: 081-021-042, 081-021-038, 081-021-041, 081-021-035, 081-021-044, 081-021-045, 081-021-039, 081-021-046, 081-021-025 and 081-021-033 Property Address: 13026, 12954, 12946, 12972, 12990 Ave of the Giants, Myers Flat, CA 95554 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 7/24/2000. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. TrustDeed Servicing, LLC, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 10/6/2000 as Instrument No. 2000-21274-II of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Humboldt County, California. Executed By: William E Meagher, Trustee of the Joan and William Trust dated May 23, 1997 WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER’S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or



other form of payment authorized by California Civil Code 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 1/19/2023 at 11:00 AM Place of Sale: At the front entrance to the County Courthouse at 825 5th Street, Eureka, CA 95501 All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as follows: See Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof EXHIBIT "A" THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREA IN COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: TRACT A That portion of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 30, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the Westerly right of way line of the state highway at a point located 954.48 feet South and 718 feet West of the Northeast corner of said Section 30; thence South 32 degrees 44 minutes West, 1 50 feet; thence North 57 degrees 16 minutes West, 100 feet to the Easterly line of a 20 foot right of way; thence along said line North 32 degrees 44 minutes East, 186.84 feet to the Westerly line of said state highway; thence along said Westerly line Southeasterly along a curve with a radius of 1030 feet for an arc distance of 106.8 feet to the point of beginning. APN: 081-021-042 TRACT B PARCEL ONE That portion of Sections 29 and 30 in Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point marked by a 6 x 6 inch concrete monument on the Westerly right of way line of the state highway and located 1049.58 feet South and 83.63 feet East of the Northeast corner of aforesaid Section 30; thence from said point of beginning along said right of way line South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 96.30 feet; thence South 33 degrees 34 minutes West, 509.38 feet; thence South 57 degrees 21 minutes East, 381.58 feet; thence South 38 degrees 55 minutes West, 462.23 feet; thence North 51 degrees 05 minutes West, 554.57 feet to the Easterly line of a 20 foot right of way; thence along said line North 4 degrees 50 minutes East, 2940 feet; North 22 degrees 12 minutes East, 91.22 feet to the Southwest corner of the Myers School 1-acre parcel; thence along the South line of said parcel South 68 degrees East, 170.16 feet; thence along the East line of said parcel North 22 degrees 12 minutes East, 256 feet; thence along the North line of said parcel North 68 degrees West, 20.16 feet; thence North 22 degrees 12 minutes East, 75.50 feet; thence North 58 degrees 43 minutes West, 1 5 1.99 feet to the Easterly line of aforesaid 20-foot right of way; thence along said right of way North 22 degrees 12 minutes East, 0.44 feet and North 32 degrees 44 minutes East, 339.79 feet; thence South 57 degrees 16 minutes East, 100 feet; thence North 32 degrees 44 minutes East, 150 feet to a point on the aforesaid right of way line of the state highway located North 43 degrees

42-1/2 minutes West, 131,42 feet from the point of beginning; thence following said right of way line Southeasterly along a curve with a radius of 1030 feet for an arc distance of 131.5 feet to the point of beginning. APN: 081-021-038 and 081-021-041 PARCEL TWO The right to use and maintain the present road right of way 20 feet wide lying 10 feet on each side of the following described centerline; BEGINNING at a point located North 40 degrees 26 minutes West, 248.52 feet from the above point of beginning; thence South 32 degrees 44 minutes West, 531 feet and South 22 degrees 12 minutes West, 451.04 feet and South 42 degrees 50 minutes West, 20 feet. PARCEL THREE The right of way 10 feet wide connecting the above right of way with the East Bank of the South Fork of Eel River and lying 5 feet on each side of the following described centerline; BEGINNING at a point located 1 305.56 feet South and 369.65 feet West of the Northeast corner of said Section 30; thence South 33-1/2 degrees West, 223 feet, more or less, and North 56-1/2 degrees West, 125 feet, more or less, to the said bank of said river, said centerline being 5 feet from and parallel with the Easterly and Southerly boundaries of a parcel of land formerly owned by Herbert J. and Leila M. Jones. EXCEPTING THEREFROM that portion thereof conveyed by Perry R. Hume and wife, and Sarah M. Corning, to Paul H. Zielke and Ethel A. Zielke, his wife, by Deed dated May 26, 1947, and recorded in the Office of the County Recorder of said county on July 10, 1947. PARCEL FOUR That portion of Section 30, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: COMMENCING on the East line of the 20-foot roadway deeded to W.C. Dorsey by Deed dated January 4, 1940 at a point located 1406.46 feet South and 391.87 feet West of the Northeast corner of Section 30, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian; thence South 22 degrees 12 minutes West along the East line of said roadway, 256 feet; thence at right angles Easterly, 170.16 feet; thence at right angles Northerly parallel with said roadway, 256 feet; thence at right angles Westerly, 170.16 feet to the point of beginning. APN: portion of 081-021-035-000 PARCEL FIVE A right of way for roadway and the right to construct, fence and maintain the same over and along the strip of land deeded for right of way purposes to W.C. Dorsey by Deed dated January 4, 1940. Said right of way not to be exclusive, but to be shared in common with other parties. PARCEL SIX That portion of the East Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 30, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point which is 1312.95 feet South and 356.32 feet from the Northeast corner of said section; thence South 22 degrees 12 minutes West, 100 feet; thence South 68 degrees East, 1 50 feet; thence North 22 degrees 12 minutes East, 75.5 feet; thence North 58 degrees 43 minutes West, 151.99 feet to the point of beginning APN: remainder of 081-021-035-000 PARCEL SEVEN That

portion of the West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 29, and of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 30, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the Southerly right of way line of the state highway located 1114.80 feet South and 154.48 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Section 29, said point being also located South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 96.30 feet from a concrete monument on said right of way line; thence along said right of way line, South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 70 feet; thence South 35 degrees 22-1/2 minutes West, 194.45 feet; thence South 56 degrees 26 minutes East, 123.23 feet to the East line of land conveyed to H. Rawson Knight and wife, by Deed recorded November 19, 1947, in Book 22, Page 209 of Official Records, in the Office of the County Recorder of said county; thence South 38 degrees 47 minutes West, 302.69 feet to the most Southerly corner of said land; thence North 57 degrees 21 minutes West, 158.70 feet; thence North 33 degrees 34 minutes East, 509.38 feet to the point of beginning. APN: 081-021-044-000 and 081-021-045-000 PARCEL EIGHT A parcel in Section 30 of Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located 1914.80 feet South and 541.12 feet West of the Northeast corner of said Section 30 (said corner being a one-inch iron pipe monument with brass cap; thence South 63 degrees 06 minutes East, 224.60 feet; thence North 38 degrees 55 minutes East, 84.93 feet; thence North 51 degrees 05 minutes West, 308.78 feet to the Easterly line of a roadway; thence along said line South 04 degrees 50 minutes West, 159 feet to the point of beginning. APN: 081-021-039-000 PARCEL NINE That portion of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 29, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located 1705.64 feet South and 225.99 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Section 29; thence North 38 degrees 55 minutes East, 102.50 feet; thence North 50 degrees 09 minutes 30 seconds West, 81.36 feet, more or less, to the Southeasterly line of the land conveyed to John E. Scott and wife, by Deed recorded June 6, 1949, under Recorder's Serial No. 5087, in the office of said Recorder; thence South 41 degrees 00 minutes 30 seconds West along said Southeasterly line, 115.10 feet to a point which bears North 58 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds West from the point of beginning; thence South 58 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds East, 85.48 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning. APN: portion of 081-021-046-000 PARCEL TEN A parcel in Section 29, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located 1482.92 feet South and 120.50 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Section 29; thence South 38 degrees 47 minutes West, 135.20 feet; thence South 50 degrees 19-1/2 minutes East, 137.23 feet; thence North 41

degrees 00-1/2 minutes West, 1 17.30 feet; thence North 50 degrees 48-1/2 minutes West, 140.73 feet to the point of beginning. APN: portion of 081-021-046-000 PARCEL ELEVEN That portion of Section 29 of Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located 1713.98 feet South and 219.27 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Section 29; thence South 38 degrees 55 minutes West, 40 feet; thence North 57 degrees 21 minutes West, 222.00 feet; thence North 38 degrees 47 minutes East, 40 feet; thence South 57 degrees 21 minutes East, 222.88 feet to the point of beginning. APN: portion of 081-021-046-000 TRACT C That parcel in Section 29, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian, described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located 1705.64 feet South and 225.99 feet East of the Northwest corner of Section 29; thence North 58 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds West, 85.48 feet, more or less, to the most Southerly corner of the parcel of land firstly described in the Deed to John E. Scott and wife, recorded June 6, 1949, under Recorder's File No. 5087, Humboldt County Records; thence North 58 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds West, 137.23 feet to the most Westerly corner of said Scott parcel; thence South 38 degrees 47 minutes West, 6.90 feet, to the most Northerly corner of the parcel of land conveyed to Morrison & Jackson Lumber Company, a corporation, by Deed recorded April 15, 1949, under Recorder's File No. 3393, Humboldt County Records; thence South 57 degrees 21 minutes East, 222.88 feet to a point located 1713.98 feet South and 218.27 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Section 29; thence North 38 degrees 55 minutes East, 8.34 feet to the point of beginning. APN: remainder portion of 081-021-046-000 TRACT D BEGINNING at a point on the Southerly right of way line of the state highway located 1,162.22 feet South and 205.98 feet East of the Northwest corner of Section 29, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian; said point being also located South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 166.30 feet from a concrete monument on said right of way line; and running thence from said point of beginning along said right of way line, South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 134.55 feet; thence South 38 degrees 47 minutes West, 173.91 feet; thence North 56 degrees 26 minutes West, 123.23 feet; and thence North 35 degrees 22-1/2 minutes East, 194.45 feet to the true point of beginning. APN: 081-021-025-000 TRACT E BEGINNING at a point located 1,306.62 feet South and 362.80 feet East from the Northwest corner of Section 29, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian; thence South 47 degrees East, 10 feet to the most Northerly corner of the parcel of land conveyed to Arthur J. Kelly and wife by deed recorded September 4, 1969 in Book 1015 of Official Records at page 107, under Recorder's File No. 12797, Humboldt County Records; thence along the Northwesterly line of said Kelly parcel, South 41 degrees 05 minutes

West, 110.25 feet to the most Westerly corner thereof; thence along the Southwesterly line of said Kelly parcel, South 51 degrees 12 minutes East, 63.68 feet to the most Southerly corner thereof; thence South 41 degrees 00 minutes 30 seconds West to the most Easterly corner of the parcel of land conveyed to Lucille C. Webb, by deed recorded July 17, 1968 in Book 968 of Official Records at page 118 under Recorder's File No. 10395, Humboldt County Records; thence along the Northeasterly line of said Webb parcel, North 50 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds West to the most Northerly corner thereof; thence North 38 degrees 47 minutes East, 164.50 feet to the right of way line of the Old State Highway; thence along said line, South 47 degrees 22 minutes East, 78.65 feet to the point of beginning. APN: 081-021-033-000 Street Address or other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 13026, 12954, 12946, 12972, 12990 Ave of the Giants Myers Flat, CA 95554 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$110,574.66. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this

property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (916) 939-0772 or visit this internet website [www.nationwideposting.com](http://www.nationwideposting.com), using the file number assigned to this case 22-00007. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the internet website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. NOTICE TO TENANT: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call (916) 939-0772, or visit this internet website [www.nationwideposting.com](http://www.nationwideposting.com), using the file number assigned to this case 22-00007 to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. Date: 12/15/2022 TrustDeed Servicing, LLC 1968 S. Coast Hwy, Num 1250 Laguna Beach, California 92651 (916) 251-9196 Shannon Winford, Trustee Sale Officer TRUSTDEED SERVICING, LLC IS ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NPP0419318 To: NORTH COAST JOURNAL

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## LEGAL NOTICES

### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME Eleni Kalee Cozyris CASE NO. CV2201714 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST. EUREKA, CA. 95501

PETITION OF: Eleni Kalee Cozyris  
for a decree changing names as  
follows:

Present name: Eleni Kalee Cozyris  
to  
Proposed name: Kali Eleni Cozyris

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

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NOTICE OF HEARING  
Date: January 06, 2023  
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4

For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit  
<https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

SUPERIOR COURT  
OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT  
825 FIFTH STREET  
EUREKA, CA 95501  
Date: November 18, 2022  
Filed: November 18, 2022  
/s/ Timothy A. Canning  
Judge of the Superior Court

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Fortuna City Council will hold a public hearing on **January 3, 2023 at 6:00 P.M.** at City Hall, 621 - 11th Street in Fortuna, California to consider:

**Repealing and Replacing Title 15, Building and Construction; Division I, Generally; Chapter 15.10, Building Codes with the 2022 California Building Codes as Mandated by the California Building Standard Commission and Department of Housing and Community Development, Ordinance 2023-758.**

You are invited to come to the Public Hearing to ask questions or comment on the proposed adoption. Information on the Code adoption is available at City Hall for review at the Community Development Department. Written comments may be submitted to the City Building Official on or before the day of the meeting.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact the Building Department at (707) 725-7600. Notification 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to ensure accessibility to this meeting (28 CFR 35.102 - 35.104 ADA Title II).

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Applicants must possess valid CDL, and be at least 18 years of age. Complete job description and application available at City of Fortuna, 621 11<sup>th</sup> Street or [friendlyfortuna.com](http://friendlyfortuna.com).

Applications must be received by 4 p.m.  
on **Friday, January 6, 2023.**

## EMPLOYMENT



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The Hoopa Valley Tribe is accepting applications to fill the following vacant position

### SENIOR TRIBAL ATTORNEY

Office of Tribal Attorney Department, Regular, Full-Time, **Salary:** \$120,000-\$160,000, The Hoopa Valley Tribe seeks to fill the position of Senior Tribal Attorney and will provide a broad range of legal services to the Hoopa Valley Tribal Council, Tribal Chairperson, and Tribal departments and entities. Major responsibilities include: tribal policy, development, legal research and drafting, reviewing business contracts and facilitating economic development effort, representing the Tribe in civil and administrative proceedings, conducting negotiations with state and federal agencies, and other duties as assigned. **Minimum Qualifications:** At least four years of experience practicing Federal Indian Law or representing Tribal Governments is required. J.D. degree and member in good standing of any State Bar. Experience in developing tribal policies and ordinances, and handling employment law matters is highly preferred. Additional requirements are listed in the job description. **DEADLINE: Open Until Filled.**

For job descriptions & employment applications, contact the Human Resource Department, Hoopa Valley Tribe, P.O. Box 218, Hoopa, CA 95546. Call (530) 625-9200 Ext. 23 or email [dori.marshall@hoopainsurance.com](mailto:dori.marshall@hoopainsurance.com) or application form can be downloaded at: <https://www.hoopa-nsn.gov/tribal-jobs/>. The Tribe's Alcohol & Drug Policy and TERO Ordinance Apply.

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## K'ima:w Medical Center

*an entity of the Hoopa Valley Tribe, is seeking applicants for the following positions:*

**PHARMACY CLERK – TEMPORARY (\$16.24 - \$22.48 PER HOUR DOE)** – Performs clerical and support functions assisting the Pharmacist and the Pharmacy Technician in the dispensing of medication. High school diploma or general education degree (GED); three to six months related experience and/or training; current CPR certificate or obtain within 30 days of hire. **DEADLINE TO APPLY IS JANUARY 3, 2023 BY 5 PM.**

**PHARMACY CLERK – FT REGULAR (\$16.24 - \$22.48 PER HOUR DOE)** – Performs clerical and support functions assisting the Pharmacist and the Pharmacy Technician in the dispensing of medication. High school diploma or general education degree (GED); three to six months related experience and/or training; current CPR certificate or obtain within 30 days of hire.

**DEADLINE TO APPLY IS JANUARY 3, 2023 BY 5 PM.**

**BEHAVIORAL HEALTH OFFICE ASSISTANT – FT REGULAR – (\$16.89 - \$21.00 PER HOUR DOE)**  
This position is responsible for performing clerical and administrative support functions including: records, mail logs, employee travel, maintains scheduled appointments, telephone communications, receives notifications and referrals, and greets the public. High school diploma or GED equivalent; ability to work with computers; ability to work independently under established priorities and guidelines; must be able to speak to people in crisis; excellent communications skills; must be punctual and willing to work additional hours if necessary. Must have a valid California Driver's license; current CPR certificate or ability to obtain within 60 days of hire. **DEADLINE TO APPLY IS JANUARY 3, 2023 BY 5 PM.**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT/BILLER – FT REGULAR – (\$18.42 - \$20.00 per hour)**

**COALITION COORDINATOR FT Regular (\$17.14 - \$20.01 per hour)**

**EMT-1 – Temporary**

(Revised qualifications)

**BILLING OFFICE SUPERVISOR FT Regular (\$24.48 - \$32.09 per hour DOE)**

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**PARAMEDIC – FT Regular**

**GRANT WRITER & PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS – FT/Regular (\$29.00-36.00 per hour DOE)**

**DENTAL HYGIENIST – FT/Regular (\$39.00-43.00 DOE)**

**PHYSICIAN FT/Regular**

**MEDICAL DIRECTOR FT/Regular**

**MENTAL HEALTH CLINICIAN FT/Regular**

**MAT RN CARE MANAGER FT/Regular**

**DENTIST FT/Regular** All positions above are Open Until Filled unless otherwise stated.

For an application, job description, and additional information, contact: K'ima:w Medical Center, Human Resources, PO Box 1288, Hoopa, CA, 95546 or call 530-625-4261 or email: [apply@kimaw.org](mailto:apply@kimaw.org) for a job description and application. You can also check our website listings for details at [www.kimaw.org](http://www.kimaw.org). Resume and CV are not accepted without a signed application.



*The Hoopa Valley Tribe is accepting applications to fill the following vacant position*

### POLICE OFFICER

Hoopa Tribal Police Department, Regular, Full-time, **Salary:** \$26.91/hr. Performs a wide variety of peace officer duties.

**Minimum Qualifications:** Must possess a Basic Academy Certificate from a California P.O.S.T. approved academy or ability to recertify within 6 months of conditional offer and successful completion of background investigation. Additional requirements are listed in the job description. Must have a California Driver's license and be insurable. Must successfully pass a Title 30A Employment Background and a California Police Officer Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.) background checks.

**DEADLINE: OPEN UNTIL FILLED**

This position is classified safety-sensitive.

For job descriptions and employment applications, contact the Human Resource/Insurance Department, Hoopa Valley Tribe, P.O. Box 218, Hoopa, CA 95546 or Call (530) 625-9200 Ext. 20 or email [hr2@hoopainsurance.com](mailto:hr2@hoopainsurance.com). The Tribe's Alcohol & Drug Policy and TERO Ordinance.



*The Hoopa Valley Tribe is accepting applications to fill the following vacant position*

### CEO: Hoopa Forest Industries

Regular, Full-Time, **Salary:** \$60,000-\$70,000.

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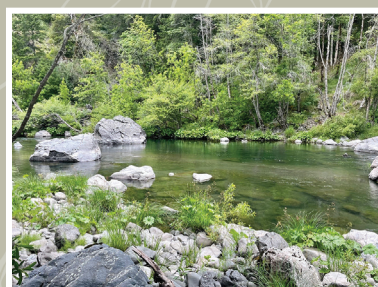
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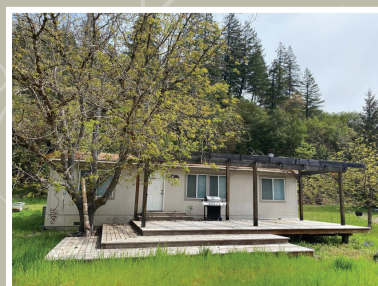
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